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PARRAMATTA STEAMERS.

FROM Sydney, at 9 a.m., 12 (noon), and 3 and 5 p.m. From Parramatta, at half-past 7 and 11 a.m., and 2 and 5 p.m. On Sunday—From Sydney, at 9 a.m., return- at 5 p.m.

Goods stored free of charge, both at Sydney and Parramatta.

Steamers for pleasure parties and for towing at the shortest notice. 4741

STEAMER TO WOLLONGONG.

THE *KANGAROO*, John Taggart, Master, will be laid on as a *regular trader* between Sydney and Illawarra, making two *day trips* in each week. From Sydney every Wednesday and Saturday morning at nine A. M.; from Wollongong every Monday and Thursday morning at nine A. M. This vessel (whose good sea qualities have been often proved), has undergone extensive repairs and alterations, her speed will be found to be greatly superior to any packet that has hitherto plied on that station, and the rate of passage-money which it is proposed to charge will be—

Cabin .... 10s. Steerage .... 5s.

Her first trip will be from Sydney, on Wednesday, the 15th instant.

Kellick's Wharf, October 6. 5080

FOR PORT MACQUARIE.

THE STEAM PACKET *MAITLAND*, W. Parsons, master, will leave the Commercial Wharf, for the above Port, on Monday next, the 13th instant, at six o'clock P.M.

October 9 5335

STEAM TO MORETON BAY.

THE STEAMER *SOVEREIGN*, Henry Cape, commander, will leave Sydney for Brisbane on MONDAY EVENING next, the 13th instant, at 8 o'clock.

FARES AND FREIGHT AS USUAL.

NOTICE.—Goods cannot be received after six o'clock on Monday evening, and shippers requiring their goods to be landed at Kangaroo Point, North or South Brisbane, are requested to be particular in having them so addressed. Passengers are requested to pay their fares at the office on the wharf previous to the hour of sailing.

FRANCIS CLARKE, Manager.
Hunter River Steam Navigation Company.
October 9. 5345

STEAM TO PORT PHILLIP AND VAN DIEMEN'S LAND.

THE *SHAMROCK* Steamer, G. Gilmore Commander, will again leave Sydney for Boyd Town, Melbourne, and Launceston, on or about Thursday, the 23rd day of October.

Due notice will be given of the exact day and hour of sailing.

Notice.—To prevent disappointment, shippers are informed that in future no goods can be received later than 3 o'clock of the day before the departure of the steamer.

FRANCIS CLARKE, Manager.
Hunter River Steam Navigation Company,
October 9. 5346

FOR PORT MACQUARIE.

THE regular Packet Schooner *MARY ANN*, 55 tons, will leave the Union Wharf To-morrow Evening, at six o'clock, weather permitting. For freight or passage, which is extremely low, apply to the Master on board; or Mr. William Dalton, Prince-street.

October 10. 5376

FOR GOODS AND PASSENGERS.

THE British-built first-class barque *DUKE of RICHMOND*, Captain Barclay, will sail in ten days for Port Phillip, and has room for a few tons of goods. For freight or passage, having excellent accommodation, apply to the Captain, on board, at Campbell's Wharf, or to

ROBERT HOW AND CO.,
Lower George-street.
Sydney, October 4. 5069

FOR MELBOURNE.

THE PACKET BRIG *CHRISTINA* will sail for the above port, on Tuesday next. For freight or passage apply on board, at the Flour Company's Wharf; or at the office of

A. B SMITH AND CO.,
Sussex-street.
October 9. 5344

FOR HOBART TOWN.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND PASSENGERS.

THE *LOUISA* will clear at the Custom House, (This Day), at one o'clock, and sail to-morrow.

JOHN MACNAMARA,
Hobart Town Packet Office,
5347 Queen-street.

FOR AUCKLAND.

THE fast-sailing barque *LOUISA CAMPBELL*, 300 tons, W. Darby, Commander, will sail on the 20th October.

For freight or passage apply to Captain Darby, on board. 5320

FOR AUCKLAND DIRECT, (WITH IMMEDIATE DESPATCH,)

THE fast-sailing Schooner *Sir John Franklin*, Colin Campbell, master, has good accommodation for cabin passengers. For freight or passage apply to the master, on board; or to

CHARLES MALPAS,
No. 7, Jamison-street.
October 2. 4942

FOR PORT NICHOLSON, *Under Engagement.*

THE teak built Ship *DAVID MALCOLM*, Captain Cabel, will sail in ten days.

For freight or passage apply to Captain Cabel, or to

SMITH AND CAMPBELL.
Campbell's Wharf,
September 27. 4684

NOTICE.

CAPTAIN BARCLAY will not be answerable for any debts contracted by the crew of the *Duke of Richmond* while in this port.

Sydney, October 6. 5153

FOR PASSENGERS ONLY.

THE *CASHMERE* having nearly completed her loading for London, will sail early this month, and presents a good opportunity for passengers. Has excellent cabin accommodations, and will take a limited number of steerage passengers

Apply to Captain Mackie, on board at Campbell's Wharf; or to

ROBERT HOW AND CO,
Lower George-street.
Sydney, October 1. 4827

FOR LONDON DIRECT,

THE first class British-built brig *CORSAIR*, 231 tons register, Alexander Sproul, Commander. Having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, and her dead weight on board, will be despatched early in November.

For freight or passage apply to Captain Sproul, on board; or to

FLOWER, SALTING, AND CO.
Hunter-street, September 30. 4815

FOR LONDON.

THE fast-sailing first class barque *GEORGE*, 414 tons register, Charles Gordon, commander, has all her heavy freight on board, and will sail early next month.

Has good accommodations for cabin and steerage passengers.

Apply on board; or to

GILCHRIST AND ALEXANDER,
Lower George-street.
October 4. 5124

FOR LONDON.

THE fine, fast-sailing, first class, British-built ship *HOOGHLY*, 456 tons register, John Williams, commander.

Has superior accommodation for cabin and steerage passengers, and carries an experienced surgeon.

For freight or passage apply to

GRIFFITHS, FANNING, AND CO.,
Spring-street.
September 27. 4678

FOR LONDON DIRECT.

THE first-class British-built Barque *HINDOO*, J. B. Beard, Commander, having the greater portion of her freight engaged, will sail on the 15th December next. For freight or passengers, having superior accommodations, apply to the Captain, on board; or to

J. T. ARMITAGE AND CO.
This vessel carries an experienced Surgeon. 4762

FOR LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

THE fine fast-sailing brig *MUNRO*, A1, 225 tons, M. Balfour, commander. For freight or passage, *Cabin, Intermediate*, and *Steerage*, apply to the Captain, on board, at the Circular Wharf; or to

J. B METCALFE.
September 27. 4583

FOR LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

THE fine fast sailing barque *MARY AND ANN*, A 1, 212 tons, Lewis Whiteway, Commander, will commence loading in seven days. For freight or passage apply to the Captain on board, to

ROWAND, MACNAB, AND CO.,
or to
J. B. METCALFE.

Commissariat Office, Sydney,
23rd December, 1844.

UNTIL further notice, Tenders for Bills, to be drawn by the undersigned on Her Majesty's Treasury, at thirty days sight, will be received at this Office every Thursday, at noon, the most favourable of which, if approved of, will be accepted.

No Tenders will be received unless sealed, and *in duplicate*, marked "*Tenders for Bills.*"

T. W RAMSAY,
557 Dep. Com. Gen.
No. 683-738.

PHŒNIX MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF CALCUTTA.

CAPITAL:—
1,000,000 COMPANY'S RUPEES, OR £100,000 STERLING.

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D. C. Mackay, Esq.
E. Francis, Esq.
SECRETARIES,
Messrs. J. Mackey and Co.

NOTICE.—The Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Sydney for this Office, inform the public that they are now prepared to accept local and foreign risks on Merchandise of all descriptions on favourable terms. The policies will be made payable here or in Calcutta, London or China at the option of the assured.

SMITH AND CAMPBELL,
Agents.
Campbell's Wharf, October, 1845. 5004

SYDNEY FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Half-yearly Meeting of the Members of this Company will be held at their Office, No. 14, Jamison-street, on Tuesday, the 4th day of November, 1845, at three o'clock, P.M.

By order of the Board,
GEORGE KING,
5125 Secretary.

486, GEORGE-STREET, OPPOSITE THE BARRACK GATE.

TEETH.—MR. J. EMANUEL, Examined Surgical and Mechanical Dentist, Member of the College of Surgeons, of Holland, continues to invite attention to his beautiful and unequalled method of fixing the newly discovered artificial selecious teeth, which neverchange colour, break, or decay, and defy detection. His method is simple, and success so certain, that he will readily undertake any case wherein others have failed. Guaranteed to answer mastication and articulation. Teeth extracted, stopped, and cleansed.

☞ Mr. E.'s charges are strictly moderate, to meet the means of all classes.

Instantaneous relief for the tooth-ache sold in bottles at 2s. 6d., and 5s. per bottle; also, Parisian Philodontic and Anti-scorbutic Tincture. 7306

THE MORPETH AND HINTON REGATTA

Will be held on MONDAY and TUESDAY, the 20th and 21st days of October, 1845.

FIRST DAY.

1st Race: The Hunter River Purse of £12 10s., with £5 for the second boat; for all gigs pulling four oars. To start from opposite Mrs. Cornelius's, thence proceeding up the River Hunter to a buoy moored off the Sandy Spit, rounding it on the Durham side, down to a buoy moored off Mr. John Pearse's farm, rounding it on the Northumberland side; the same distance to be pulled twice,—and ending at a buoy moored off the Government Wharf.

Entrance, 20s; three entrances or no race.

2nd Race: The Union Purse of £10, with £4 for the second boat; for whale-boats not pulling more than five oars, and steered with a steer oar. The same route as the gigs.

Entrance, 15s.; three entrances or no race.

3rd Race: The Morpeth Purse of £10, with £3 10s. for the second boat; for all sailing boats. To start from the Hinton punt, up to a buoy moored off the Sandy Spit, rounding it on the Durham side, down to a buoy moored off the wharf on the late farm of Dr. Bendall, rounding it on the Northumberland side, returning, and ending at the buoy moored off the Government Wharf. To be allowed two paddles, three feet in length and eight inches in the blade.

Entrance, 15s.; three entrances or no race.

4th Race: The Native Purse of £1, and a suit of slops; for all aboriginal canoes paddled by two aboriginal natives. To start from the Hinton punt, up to the buoy moored off the Government Wharf, rounding it on the Durham side, and ending at the buoy moored off Mrs. Cornelius's.

SECOND DAY.

1st Race: The Hinton Purse of £6, with £1 10s. for the second boat; for boats pulling two oars; to start from the Hinton punt, up to a buoy moored off the Sandy Spit, rounding it on the Durham side, down to the buoy moored off Mr. John Pearse's, rounding it on the Northumberland side, and ending at the buoy moored off the Government Wharf.

Entrance, 8s.; three entrances or no race.

2nd Race: The Ladies' Purse of £8, with £2 for the second boat; for all boats not exceeding twenty-one feet in the keel, pulling four oars, and steered by a rudder. To start from opposite Mrs. Cornelius's, down to a buoy moored off Mr. John Pearse's, rounding it on the Northumberland side, up to a buoy moored off the Sandy Spit, rounding it on the Durham side, back to the buoy moored off Mr. John Pearse's, rounding it on the Northumberland side, and ending at the buoy moored off the Government Wharf.

Entrance, 12s. 6d.; three entrances or no race.

3rd Race: The Maitland Purse of £5; for one man pulling in a dingy, with five minutes' start, to be chased by any four-oared gig, (choices to be made by lot), and if the puller of the dingy is caught by the bowman of the gig within fifteen minutes of the time of starting of the gig, the prize to be paid to the gig; and if not, to be paid to the dingy.

Entrance, 7s. 6d.

4th Race: The Scullers' Match of £5, with £2 for the second boat; for one man pulling a pair of sculls.

Entrance, 7s. 6d.; three entrances or no race.

All boats must be entered at Mrs. Cornelius's, by ten o'clock in the morning of the respective days of racing. All boats must draw lots at the same place for their respective stations, prior to starting.

The time of starting will be for the first race in each day at eleven o'clock, and one hour between each other race.

QUINTEN SWIFT.
5317 Hon. Sec.

PHILLIP WARD.

A MEETING of Mr. Hugh Brodie's Committee will be held this evening (Friday) at Mr. Dunn's, the sign of the Scotch Thistle, corner of Castlereagh and Campbell streets.

October 10. 5381

TO THE CITIZENS OF BOURKE WARD, CITY OF SYDNEY.

GENTLEMEN,—I take this early opportunity of informing you, that it is my intention of again soliciting your suffrages for the honour of representing your interest in the City Council, at the forthcoming Election in November next. I have been encouraged in this step by the very many promises of support that I have already received, in the course of the canvass which I have hitherto been enabled personally to make.

In the event of my re-election to the honorable trust, as your representative, I pledge myself to devote my continued energies, both in Committees and in Council, to the interest of the City generally, and to your Ward in particular.

I have the honour to be,
Gentlemen,
Your obedient and faithful servant,
JOHN BROWN.
George-street, Sydney,
September 6. 3560

TO THE ELECTORS OF PHILLIP WARD.

GENTLEMEN,—For the manner in which, during my personal canvas, I have been received, and the numerous promises of support so handsomely given, please accept my most sincere thanks; those gentlemen I have not already had the pleasure of waiting upon, may rest assured of my shortly doing so, as it is my intention to solicit personally the favour of his vote from every Citizen in the Ward.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
CHARLES JENKINS.
Sydney, September 17. 4084

TO THE ELECTORS OF COOK WARD.

GENTLEMEN,—At the desire of many respectable citizens of your Ward, I respectfully offer myself as a Candidate at the forthcoming election, to represent you in the City Council.

Should I have the honour to be elected, I will use my utmost exertions to guard your interests, as well as the general interests of the city.

I have the honour to be, Gentlemen,
Your most obedient and humble servant,
THOMAS HYNDES.
September 10. 4658

TUITION.

A LADY accustomed to tuition wishes for a few pupils to instruct in Music, Singing, and French; unexceptionable references can be given. Direct C.Z., *Herald* Office. 5288

BATHURST.
BRISBANE GROVE STORE,
RALPH'S PLAINS.

THE undersigned begs to inform the inhabitants of the above and surrounding districts, that he has received his stock of supplies for the shearing season.

JAMES WALKER,
Brisbane Grove.

Wool, hides, skins, tallow, and wheat, taken in exchange, or the highest cash price given. 5307

BATHURST.

MR. EDWARD AUSTIN, in presenting his most grateful acknowledgments to the inhabitants of the district of Bathurst and its neighbourhood, for the distinguished support with which he has been honoured by them during the last six years, BEGS TO ACQUAINT HIS PATRONS AND THE PUBLIC, that being about to leave this colony for Europe in the early part of the ensuing year, he will sell *for cash, and at twenty per cent. below their cost price*, from and after *the 1st October next*, (from which period no credit will be given, or books kept,) his *very various and very carefully selected stock-in-trade*, consisting of ironmongeries, groceries, wines and spirits, draperies, oilmen's stores, slops, and every kind of goods, wares, and merchandise, which the advertiser's long experience as a country storekeeper has induced him to purchase.

To an industrious capitalist possessed of from £2000 to £3000, the purchase of the above, with the commodious and most desirably situated premises on which the business is carried on, affords a GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY OF ACCUMULATING AND RETIRING TO EUROPE WITH A FORTUNE!

The business (which has averaged for some years £15,000 per annum) is not only formed, and the locality first rate, but there is every prospect, looking at the urgent demand for labour and its necessary consequence, a rise in wages, that the profits of the country storekeeper (principally derived as they are from the receivers of wages) will be increased.

Application for the purchase of the business to be made (if by letter post paid) either to the advertiser, or to Mr. Gilbert Wright, solicitor, Bathurst.

Mr. Austin respectfully solicits all parties indebted to him to pay their accounts, as the books will be closed after the 1st October next, and all credits will then be handed over to his solicitor for recovery

Mr. Austin begs to add that HE IS A PURCHASER OF WOOL OF THE ENSUING CLIP, *for which he will give* the HIGHEST PRICE; and, being himself about to proceed to England, and not incurring therefore the usual costs of commission, brokage, &c., the seller of wool to Mr. Austin WILL HAVE THE FULL BENEFIT OF THIS SAVING, BY RECEIVING FROM MR. AUSTIN AN INCREASED PRICE FOR HIS WOOL.

Bathurst, September 23. 4529

SCONE INN, SCONE.

THOMAS GLANFIELD, in returning thanks to his friends and the public generally, for the liberal patronage he enjoyed during his stay at the Golden Fleece, St. Aubin's, begs to apprise them that he has, at the instance of many, removed into a *new* and more commodious premises in the township of Scone, where he intends to conduct his business as formerly.

T. G. in soliciting further favours, announces that he has now laid in a stock of the choicest Wines, Spirits, Ales, Porters, &c.: has good stabling and paddocks, and every accommodation for the convenience of those who may honour him with their support.

N. B.—Removed from the "Golden" Fleece, St. Aubin's, to the "Scone Inn," Scone. 4617

☞ WINDSOR COACH.

PASSENGERS per Ridge's Windsor Coach are reminded that the Steamer in communication with that conveyance leaves Kellick's Wharf *at Three o'clock* daily, in lieu of Four as hitherto. 5079

A. GAINSBORG, opposite the Union Bank, begs to inform the inhabitants of Bathurst and the surrounding districts, that having procured to his establishment a first-rate watch and clock maker, he can execute every description of English and foreign work connected with his business.

Musical Boxes, Mathematical and Surveying Instruments, and Jewellery, repaired or remounted in a style equal to any house in the colony. 5657

NOTICE.

TO THE CANDIDATES OF THE VARIOUS WARDS, &C., &C.

IF you wish to ensure your election, employ A. TORNING, of No. 6, Bridge-street, Sydney, who can furnish you with Banners, Flags, etc., complete, from three guineas upwards.

A. TORNING, *Parisian Decorator, Writer, Gilder, and Painter on Glass, Sign and Transparency Painter.* Carving, Gilding, Writing, and Graining.

N.B.—Old Paintings cleaned and repaired. A respectable YOUTH wanted as an apprentice. A premium required. 5368

TO THE PUBLIC OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

W. R. RICHARDSON, intending to leave for England, at the beginning of the next year, begs to notify that the commencement of the Selling Off of his Drapery Stock will be on Monday next, and as one or two more shipments have yet to arrive, it is expedient that all goods should be sold at cost price to prevent delay; several cases of new goods, especially in muslins, have been received by the last arrivals.

Commerce House,
5377 George-street, Sydney.

SUMMER DRESSES, &c.

ROBERT BOURNE AND CO. have just opened several cases De Laines, Ginghams, Balzorines, and Crapes of the newest styles

ALSO,
One case brown parasols
253, Pitt-street. 5086

TO SETTLERS AND OTHERS.

ROBERT BOURNE AND CO., have received several packages of the undermentioned goods—

8-4 and 9-4 blankets
Diaper rugs
Striped shirts
Regatta and Scotch twill shirts
Moleskin trousers
Apron checks
Shirting stripes
Ducks and drills
Green and white lenos

5085 253, Pitt-street.

WOOLBAGGING AND TWINE, of superior quality, on sale by

T. AGARS,
5327 Kent-street North.

NEW GOODS,
JUST RECEIVED AT THE
SETTLERS' WAREHOUSE,
Opposite the Hay Market, Brickfield Hill.

EX "GEORGE," AND OTHER LATE ARRIVALS.

A LARGE and varied assortment of New Goods, including—
A beautiful lot of prints, all new styles
Small pattern ditto, a great variety
Check muslin dresses
Shaded ginghams, quite new
Cashmere shawls and turnovers, very cheap
Muslin collars and habit shirts
Brown silk parasols
Lenos, &c., &c.

Particular attention is requested to the Stock of Calicoes, which has received great additions, and will be found to compete in price and quality with any in the colony.

Large additions have also been made in the Slop Department, which now comprises every article requisite for bush clothing, all of which are of the best description, and offered at prices that meet with the approbation of every customer.

The following articles for Summer use are worthy of particular notice,—
Summer cloth coats
Codrington and Chesterfield wrappers
Gambroon shooting coats and trousers
Blouses
Boys' blouses, all sizes
Drill trousers, &c., &c.

The whole of the above goods having been received direct from the manufacturers, and not through any agent, there is but one profit on them, consequently it is impossible for any house in the city to offer greater advantages to buyers than the

Settlers' Warehouse,
Brickfield Hill.

All goods are marked in plain figures, and no abatement made. 5388

SHEET IRON.

SHEET IRON of various guages.

LYALL, SCOTT, AND Co
7th October. 5210

NEGROHEAD AND CAVENDISH TOBACCO.

THE undersigned having had a large parcel of the above placed in his hands for immediate sale, is enabled to offer the same, either in or out of bond, and in lots to suit purchasers, at prices considerably under the market rates

5227 T. S. MORT.

BARRATT'S TOBACCO, in tierces, half-tierces, and kegs.

☞ Ex *Regia, Corsair, Hooghley, George*, and *William Mitcalfe*. Negrohead and Cavendish Tobacco, (picked brands,) by the *Robert Pulsford*, from the United States.

W. H. ALDIS,
5209 Tobacco Merchant.

PAGE'S PORT.

ON SALE, by the Undersigned,—Page's Port Wine, in one dozen cases, quarts, and pints.

E. C. WEEKES,
452, George-street,
Near the Post Office.
October 9. 5341

ESCOTT'S BLACKING.

ROBERT FOWLER returns thanks to the shopkeepers and public in general, for the patronage shown him for the last three years in the manufacturing of the above named article; but as other parties have commenced using the same name, his blacking in future may be known as Fowler's Colonial-made Blacking, 244, Castlereagh-street, seven doors south of Market-street.

R. F. flatters himself that by continuing to make a good and cheap article to share public support. 5374

TO COOPERS, BOILING-DOWN ESTABLISHMENTS, &c.

600 BUNDLES Hoop Iron, assorted sizes, viz., 1¼ inch, 1⅜ inch, 1½ inch, 1⅝ inch, 1¾ inch, and 2 inch
600 Dantzic crown pipe staves
100 Beef tierces
20 Tuns of tallow casks

For sale at the Cooperage of

JOHN WILLIAMS,
Lower George-street,
5362 Opposite the site of the Old Gaol.

NOTICE.

To the Friends and old Customers of
WILLIAM SAMUELL, BUTCHER,
Late of King and George Streets,
AND TO THE PUBLIC GENERALLY.

HAVING taken those spacious and commodious premises, No. 292, Pitt-street, lately occupied by Mr. Giblett, I have fitted up the same in a style of elegance that would not disgrace the first shops in London —Giblett's of *Bond street*, and Thomas's of *Charing Cross*,—not excepted, which I intend opening on SATURDAY, the 11th instant, with a supply of prime Meat of every variety, which I propose selling at the lowest remunerating prices.

W. SAMUELL.

N.B.—I shall always be able, as before, to supply every variety connected with the trade.

COME AND SEE.
October 4. 5017

SALT.

IN LOTS TO SUIT THE TRADE, SETTLERS, &C.

THE purchaser of the cargo of Salt ex *Haidee*, just arrived, having placed the same in the hands of the undersigned for re-sale, he begs to call the particular attention of the trade, settlers, and others, to its very superior quality, being as fine a sample as ever was imported.

The price will vary according to the quantity taken; but from the ridiculously low figure at which the purchase was made, the rate charged will be proportionately low.

Samples seen at the Rooms. Application to be made to

THOMAS S. MORT,
4631 Auctioneer and Broker.

SALT.

ANY quantity of colonial Salt can be had at the Salt Stores, Clarence-street, Sydney, at £4 per ton. 5215

ON SALE at the Stores of the Undersigned—
Bottled ale and porter
Draught ale

ABRAM BRIERLEY,
Sussex-street.
4893 Between King and Market streets.

SEVERAL LOTS OF SHARES in the Bank of New South Wales for sale.

CHARLES BEILBY,
5318 476, George-street

PIANOFORTE FOR SALE.

TO BE DISPOSED OF, in consequence of the advertiser going to reside in the country, a superior Grand Pianoforte, by Broadwood. For address apply at the *Morning Herald* Office. 5334

DRUGGIST'S SHOP.

FOR SALE, CHEAP, the FITTINGS, FIXTURES, BOTTLES, &c., of a DRUGGIST'S SHOP in George-street.

A snug concern, and may be bought for a small sum.

Apply to

J. K. HEYDON,
78, King-street.
October 7. 5214

FOR SALE.

SHEEP AND CATTLE STATIONS IN NEW ENGLAND.

HEAD STATION and three out stations, with run for 6000 sheep, and improvements.
1 Five-roomed hut shingled, kitchen and 4 stalled stable
1 Four roomed hut shingled, for overseer, with store adjoining
Wool shed 70 x 20, sawn roof and floor
Sweating shed 40 x 16
3 Men's huts, 3 shepherds' huts
400 Hurdles, cultivation paddock containing 20 acres, grass paddocks about 300 acres

Another station, run for 10,000 sheep or 1000 head of cattle, improvements
1 Three-roomed hut
3 Men's huts
300 Hurdles and stockyard

Would make an excellent cattle station

For further particulars apply to

JOHN MACKAY,
51 Macquarie-place.

FOR SALE.

A COTTAGE and Ground, at Waterview Bay, Balmain, with two rooms and detached kitchen.

For particulars apply to

MR. JOHN HOLMAN,
5331 White Horse, George-street

TO BE SOLD BY PRIVATE CONTRACT.

THE WOODSTOCK ESTATE, eight miles from Bathurst, and twelve from King's Plains, on the Carcoar and Lachlan roads. This farm consists of 1920 acres, with about 100 fenced and cleared for cultivation, an excellent brick-built verandah cottage, and garden of nearly three acres, well stocked with fruit trees.

The dwelling-house is well adapted and situated for an inn.

The proprietor would not object to lease the house for the above purpose, and to let the land in allotments of 100 acres, for a term of years, with liberty to dispose of firewood.

Apply to F. W. Unwin, Solicitor, Sydney; or to J. N. M'Intosh, Solicitor, Bathurst.

Bathurst, September 19. 4267

DESIRABLE HOMESTEAD.

TO BE SOLD OR LEASED, the Estate of Bronti, containing 1280 acres, free of quit-rent, situated 16 miles from the township of Goulburn, and ten from Bungonia, on the road to Maneroo. It consists of a genteel Cottage of eight rooms, with detached kitchen, store, and servants' rooms, and three-stalled stable, with a good slabbed barn dairy, and fowl-house. A garden and orchard; 100 acres cleared in seven fenced paddocks, with standing crops of barley, wheat, and hay.

There are 49 acres under lease to tenants, and the estate is well watered, and well adapted for a dairy farm or run for 2000 sheep; or a head establishment for the owners of extensive sheep establishments outside the boundaries. It will be sold cheap.

For further particulars apply on the estate, or to

MESSRS. CAMPBELL AND CO
Campbell's Wharf, Sydney,
October 9. 5336

FOR SALE BY PRIVATE CONTRACT

EIGHT SHARES in the Union Bank, £25 paid up on each

Nine shares in ditto, £2 10s. paid up on each

Apply to

MR. SAMUEL LYONS,
5353 George-street and Charlotte-place.

ADVANCES ON WOOL, TALLOW, &c.

THE Undersigned is prepared to make CASH ADVANCES ON WOOL, TALLOW, &c., intended either for private or public sale, which he will store if required,

90 DAYS' RENT FREE.

For effecting the sale,

ONE PER CENT COMMISSION

will be charged.

*** *The intended alteration in the Auction Duty, which it is expected will be only half per cent., will make sale by auction the best method of obtaining the highest market price for colonial produce.*

SAMUEL LYONS,
Licensed Auctioneer,
George-street and Charlotte-place.
October 7. 5195

TO THE INHABITANTS OF GOULBURN, AND THE SOUTHERN DISTRICTS.

THE undersigned is a purchaser of Sheep, Cattle, Wool, Tallow, Hides, Sheepskins, and other colonial produce, and for which the highest cash price will be given.

SAMUEL DAVIS.
Australian Store, Goulburn. 9108

THE Undersigned will purchase or make advances on Wool, to be consigned to their agents, in London, Messrs. Parbury, Thacker, and Co.

LAMB AND PARBURY.
September 25. 4548

THE Undersigned are purchasers of Wool, Oil, and Tallow, or will make advances on Consignments to their Correspondents in London, Messrs. Cruikshank, Melville, and Co.

5327 R. RAMSAY, SEN., AND CO.

THE UNDERSIGNED are purchasers of Wool, Oil, and Tallow, or will make advances on consignments to England.

GILCHRIST AND ALEXANDER.
5384 Lower George street.

THE undersigned are Cash buyers of Wool, Tallow, Hides, &c.

SWAIN, WEBBS, AND CO.
Harrington-street. 6869

BARLEY.

THE undersigned are purchasers of malting barley at a market price.

ROBERT AND EDWIN TOOTH,
5216 Kent Brewer

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10TH, 1845,
At twelve o'clock precisely,

COMES ON THE GREAT PUBLIC SALE OF
THE BALLYROE SHEEP,
Selected and classified into
SIX BEAUTIFUL FINE WOOLLED FLOCKS,
With heavy fleeces on their backs,

BY MR. STUBBS,
At the Mart, King Street.

So important an event in the history of sheep sales has never occurred before, as the present cost will soon be put out of sight by the

IMMEDIATE RETURN OF THE WOOL, SAY

14,000 LBS., and in fourteen months they will have repaid themselves—this is no figure of speech.

Terms at sale. 5280

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership hitherto existing between James Phelps and Thomas Mayhew, Biscuit Bakers, Miller's Point, Sydney, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

JAMES PHELPS,
THOMAS MAYHEW.
Witness—J. P. BOND.
Saturday, October 11. 5319

TO MR. MICHAEL KEARNS, DEALER, BATHURST-STREET, SYDNEY.

I HEREBY give you notice, that unless you send for, and fetch away from my place, the red and white cow, branded GA on the near rump, with calf by her side, which you left in my care nearly four weeks since, and pay me my charge for agistment, and money paid by me as a reward for finding her when lost by you, I will, at the expiration of fourteen days from this date, cause the same to be sold by public auction, in the Market-place, at Parramatta, to defray such charges and the costs of this advertisement.

JAMES FARMER.
Bird in Hand, Windsor Road,
October 7. 520

SALES BY AUCTION.

ILLAWARRA.
MOUNT ST. THOMAS.

MR. STUBBS will sell by auction, at the Mart, King-street,
THIS DAY, 10TH OCTOBER.
At Twelve o'clock,

The whole of the above important and valuable estate, containing 100 acres, with a genteel residence thereon, in view of the sea, and one mile and a half from Wollongong—if not previously disposed of by private contract.

Terms at sale. 5192

SATURDAY'S SALE.

SUMMER SUPPLY FOR THE GROCERS.
FRAGRANT VINEGAR.

MR. STUBBS will sell by public auction, at the Mart, King-street,
ON SATURDAY,
At 12 o'clock, precisely,
WITHOUT RESERVE,

1 Hogshead fine fragrant vinegar
1 Ditto ditto ditto
1 Ditto ditto ditto

Terms cash. 5388

OCTOBER 10, 1845.

CASH AUCTION
OF
A CAPITAL TOWN PROPERTY,
At the corner of Cambridge and Gloucester streets;
TO BE SOLD ON THE GROUND NEXT FRIDAY.

MR. STUBBS is instructed by the landlord and owner, to sell by public auction,

THIS DAY, THE 10TH OCTOBER, 1845,
At one o'clock precisely,
On the ground.

All those the two houses and premises, formerly known as the sign of the "St. Patrick" public-house, situate at the corner of

CAMBRIDGE AND GLOUCESTER STREETS,

WITH FRONTAGE TO A THIRD STREET, said to be the best stand of business on the Rocks, now let to Messrs. Hudson and Ryan at 15s. per week.

NOTE TO BUYERS—

Apart from the item of £40 per annum, regularly paid, and that weekly, and the advantages of situation for *retail trade*, this is one of the more favoured spots in Sydney, where a man can breathe the fresh morning air, without leaving his own doors; and the beauties of the harbour are always in panoramic view before him.

Title—Grant from the Crown.—Immediate possession. 5066

ILLAWARRA.

Military and Civil Officers and Private Persons desirous of securing a gentlemanly Estate near Sydney, for a Residence on their retirement from public life.

THE ESTATE OF
"MOUNT THOMAS."

MR. STUBBS is favoured with instructions to sell by public auction, at the Mart, King-street, on

THIS DAY, THE 10TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1845.
At Twelve o'clock precisely,

The unrivalled and very compact Family Estate of "MOUNT THOMAS," one mile and a-quarter from Wollongong, in the District of Illawarra.

This desirable property contains within its boundaries 100 acres of rich agricultural and pasture land, subdivided into wheat and dairy paddocks.

The residence is suited to the wants of a respectable family, having eight rooms therein, and convenient out-houses and offices.

The Estate is finely situated, and the house embraces a magnificent view of the "wide blue sea," and other advantages.

Its contiguity and immediate connexion with the town; its prospective and ultimate value on that account; its peculiar healthiness, and the advantages of sea bathing and fishing.

Terms will be 25 per cent. deposit, and the residue at 3 and 6 months without interest.

☞ In the mean time principals will be dealt with privately, on applying to the auctioneer, King-street. 4690

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.

October 9.—*Munford*, schooner, 168 tons, Captain Orr, from Singapore the 24th May, Manila the 25th June, and Lombock the 19th August.

October 9.—*Maitland*, steamer, 103 tons, Captain Parsons, from Port Macquarie. Passengers—Major A. C. Innes, Mr. Robertson, Mr. Tozer, and five in the steerage.

October 9.—*Sovereign*, steamer, 119 tons, Captain Cape, from Moreton Bay the 5th instant. Passengers—Mr. Adams, Mr. Alford, Mr. W. Button, Mr. Cary, Mr. P. Hodgson, Mr. S. Broom, Mr. H. Stone, Mr. F. Sterk, 1 prisoner of the Crown, and 1 soldier of the 99th Regiment.

October 9.—*Comet*, schooner, 106 tons, Captain Cork, from Port Nelson the 26th ultimo. Passengers—Mr. Tytler, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Rogers, Mr. Ling, Mr Atty, Mr. Macbeth, two Misses Watson, Mrs. Bridgman and child, Mr. and Mrs. Carter and nine children, Mrs. Croker and six children.

COASTERS INWARDS.

October 7.—*Pedlar*, 18, Lesslie, from Wollongong, with 30 pieces scantling, 30 weather boards, 60 bags bark, 1000 hands grass, 5 bags maize, 70 kegs butter; *Gipsy*, 32, Evans, from Pampoola, with 24 casks tallow, 183 hides, 1 bale wool, 50 bushels wheat, 10 tons potatoes, 3 tons bark, 10 casks butter; *Adventure*, 22, Gregory, from Broulee, with 22 tons potatoes; *Roubella*, 16, Noon, from Shell Harbour, with 1000 feet cedar boards, 2 tons wattle bark; *Thistle*, steamer, 127, Mulhall from Morpeth, with 25 bales wool, 40 trusses hay, 15 casks tallow, 60 bushels grain; *Bride*, 19, Shakeshaft, from the Hawkesbury, with 300 bushels maize, 7000 feet hardwood, 15,000 shingles; *Neptune*, 15, Horpin, from Brisbane Water, with 500 bushels shells; *Harriet*, 15, Cause, from Brisbane Water, with 35,000 shingles, 2700 feet timber, 1000 laths; *Ruth*, 14, Dennis, from Port Aiken, with 350 bushels shells.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.

October 9.—*Narrara*, 14, Robertson, for the Bellinger, with sundries; *Pedlar*, 18, Lesslie, for Wollongong, with sundries; *Ruth*, 14, Dennis, for Pitt Water, with sundries; *Brothers*, 10, Barter, for Broulee, with sundries; *James and Amelia*, 35, Wilson, for the Bellinger, with sundries; *Charles Webb*, 24, Jones, for Kiama, with sundries; *Trial*, 23, Cullum, for Morpeth, with sundries; *Louisa*, 11, M'Dermott, for the Hunter, with sundries; *Dove*, 13, Hart, for the Bellinger, with sundries; *Eclipse*, 21, Brooke, for Camden Haven, in ballast; *Bard's Legacy*, 32, M'Neil, for Wollongong, with sundries; *Georgiana*, 25, M'Pherson, for Wollongong, with sundries; *Roubulia*, 16, Noon, for Kiama, in ballast; *Thistle*, steamer, 127, Mulhall, for Morpeth, with sundries; *Neptune*, 15, Horpin, for Brisbane Water, with sundries.

IMPORTS.

October 9.—*Governor*, schooner, 147 tons, Captain Williamson, from Liverpool: 113 tons white salt, 30 tons rock salt, 80 quarter-boxes hare soup, Donaldson and Co.; 10 barrels hardware, 10 bundles pans, Jeremiah Donovan; 10 cases dyed cottons, Flower, Salting, and Co.; 8 trusses blanketting, J. Grahame and Co.; 1 box wearing apparel, Sir George Gipps; 5 hogsheads 30 quarter-casks and 10 octaves Sicilian wine, W. Walker and Co.; 68 cases olive oil, Thomas Smith and Co.; 15 bales plain cottons, R. M. Robey; 1 case saddlery, A. Campbell Brown; 15 crates earthenware, Rowand, Macnab, and Co.; 1 case haberdashery, 3 cases cotton and silk hosiery, 6 cases and 2 bales flatted cottons, D. and J. Dickson; 1 tierce and 35 barrels chemicals, R. W. Robinson; 2 cases books, Carrol; 1 box apparel, Edward Lord, Moreton Bay; 2 bales plain cottons, Order.

October 9.—*Perseverance*, barque, 238 tons, Captain Cockhill, from London: 6 bales, John Hopkins; 9 cases, J. S. Willis; 4 bales, 4 cases, 1 keg, J. M. Andrews; 6 casks 2 [illegible] currants, 12 cases raisins, B. S. Lloyd; 51 bales 31 cases 2 hogsheads lamp shades, 2 cases toys, 10 barrels currants, 27 casks drugs, 2 packages raisins, T. Smith and Co.; 21 cases, 2 bales, A. C. Brown, 2 cases, W. Walker and Co.; 33 casks, 30 firkins, 1 box, Levicks and Co.; 54 casks blacking, R. Ramsay and Co.; 5 cases, 230 cases Geneva, John Johnson; 2 cases millinery, Thacker and Co.; 9 hogsheads linseed oil, 18 bales, 70 hogsheads ale, 20 tins spirits turpentine, 12,000 slates, 10 tons rock salt, 2 hogsheads Canary wine, Donaldson and Co.; 3 bales woolpacks, 36 casks sherry, 19 casks and 1 hogshead Spanish white wine, 1 case stationery, 7 bales and 11 cases, Gilchrist and Alexander; 6 cases moleskins, 2 cases cottons, 2 cases, 1 bale, W. R. Richardson; 52 hogsheads brandy, 6 hogsheads vinegar, 250 cases Geneva, 100 cans, 24 cases, Lamb and Parbury; 10 barrels raisins, 1 case, L. and S. Spyer; 200 bundles rod iron, 40 angle bars, 10 bundles rivet iron, 59 iron plates, 10 bundles sheets, 1 case, L. Iredale; 21 bales 6 boxes, J. Graham and Co.; 31 boxes, George Small; 1 case books, Judge a'Beckett; 1 box, J. C. Stacey; 5 bales 7 cases, Flower, Salting, and Co.; 10 tons rock salt, 3 bales 2 cases, W. Walker and Co.; 1 case, Niblock; 12 bales, R. How and Co.; 1 case, Hallett; 80 boxes, R. Campbell; 1 bale, A. Samuel; 1 puncheon 1 bale and 3 cases, D. and J. Dickson; 1 case, Directors of Life Assurance Company; 1 case, Hargrave; 1 bale 10 cases, Ray and Glaister; 6 cases, M. Marks; 16 cases 2 barrels 1 bale 1 trunk, J. Simmons; 4 bales 2 cases, Moses Joseph; 60 kegs, 38 bundles, and 3 casks, J. Lovecraft; 18 bales 5 cases, Isaac Levy; 5 casks drugs, 1 case apparel, 1 case drugs, 5 cases pickles, 22 casks soda, 10 butts 8 hogsheads and 12 quarter casks sherry, 4 quarter-casks Madeira, 2 barrels capers, Order.

October 9.—*Union*, brig, 155 tons, Captain Grainger, from Launceston: 344 bags barley, R and E. Tooth; 3611 bushels and 261 bags wheat, R. Campbell, junior; 316 bags wheat, 18 rolls lead, 1 case haberdashery, G. Thorne; 2 cases glass, J. Fortune; 30 hogsheads wine, J. S. Willis.

By the contract entered into between Her Majesty's Government and the Oriental Steam Navigation Company, the first steamer is to leave Ceylon for Hong Kong, and on her return the following arrangement will take place:—A steamer will leave Hong Kong on the 1st of every month, except May, June, and July, and then five days earlier; to reach Singapore in one hundred and seventy hours, and stay there forty-eight hours: to reach Pinang in forty-five hours, and stay there six hours: and reach Point de Galle in one hundred and forty hours. The vessels may be delayed at any of the above places twenty-four hours beyond the time mentioned, if public service require it, or may be detained seventy-two hours to receive mails from the Mauritius, *Australia*, or New Zealand, and then to leave unless the vessels with the mails are in sight.—*Extract from a letter dated London, June 1.*

The *Sovereign* has brought 20 casks tallow, 200 hides, 1000 sheepskins, 2 bales wool, and 3000 feet sawn timber, from Moreton Bay. The ketch *George* had left the bay for Sydney; the *Sovereign* saw her off the Richmond on Monday last, also the schooner *Harlequin*.

The *Munford* has experienced a very tedious passage from Manila, having come round Cape Lewin; her cargo is a valuable one, comprising 876 boxes tea, 708 bags coffee, 240 bags black and 18 bags white pepper, 2310 bags sugar, 195 bags rice, 31 coils whaleline, 10 bundles China matting, and 2 cases nutmegs. She touched at Lombock on the passage down to procure a supply of fresh water. The barque *Prima Donna* was lying there taking in cargo for China.

The *Perseverance* is discharging at Lamb and Parbury's Wharf, also the *Munford*; the *Sterne* at Deloitte's, and the *Governor* and *Union* at the Circular Wharf.

The cargo per *Maitland*, from Port Macquarie, consists of 4000 feet cedar, 450 bushels maize, 24 tierces beef, 16 bales wool, 25 hides, and 3 bundles sheepskins.

The cargo of the *Comet* consists of 16 casks black oil, 22 bales wool lashing, 95 bundles flax, 25,345 feet sawn timber, 1 case glassware, 2 cases soda powder, 2 tons flax, 4 cases and 2 bales manufactures, and 1 case boots. The schooner *I Don't Know*, from Sydney, arrived at Port Nicholson on the 7th September. The schooner *Mary Ann*, Amner, was entering Nelson as the *Comet* left. The *Bee* was to leave Port Nicholson for Sydney on the 16th ultimo. The cutter *Royal William* left Nelson on the 24th September for Sydney direct.

The "Mary."—The enquiry instituted by the General Assurance Company into the state of the *Mary*, and the circumstances of her wreck, has terminated; and the directors finding that they had no grounds on which to resist the payment of the sum for which she was insured, have handed the amount, £3600, to the owners.

DIARY.

MEMORANDA FOR THIS DAY.

October.		Sun, rises	Sun, sets	High water, morn	High water, even
10	Friday	5 43	6 17	3 18	3 42

Full Moon—October 15, at 8, evening.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

We cannot make the important announcement contained in Alpha's letter upon anonymous authority.

It is not usual to publish the names of members of the Legislative Council on divisions, and therefore the reporters did not take the names down in the case referred to.

THE

Sydney Morning Herald.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1845.

"Sworn to no master, of no sect am I."

MISREPORTING.

It will be seen that Mr. Bland took the unwarrantable liberty, last night, of stating broadly, that to suit a purpose, the proceedings of the Legislative Council are misreported in the *Herald*. Such a mendacious statement deserves only one answer—an answer which can be given in a word of three letters.

NEW SOUTH WALES STATISTICS.

Coin and Population.

The last official return of Coin in the Colonial Treasury, Military Chest, and the several Banks, embraces the nine years from 1836 to 1844. Examined with reference to population, we derive from those and other authentic data the following results:—

	Coin.	Population.	Per head.
1836	£420,700	77,000	£5 9 3
1837	427,400	85,300	5 0 2
1838	520,100	97,900	5 6 3
1839	516,100	114,400	4 10 2
1840	397,600	129,500	3 1 4
1841	462,600	149,700	3 1 9
1842	475,400	159,900	2 19 7
1843	424,000	165,500	2 11 2
1844	559,900	173,400	3 4 7

Since 1840, the amount of coin has increased by £162,300, or 40¾ per cent.; the population has increased within the same period by 43,900 souls, or nearly 34 per cent.: consequently, the increase of coin has outstripped that of population by about 6¾ per cent.

Whilst the amount of coin has of late years (one excepted) steadily *increased*, that of bank notes in circulation has as steadily *decreased*. Thus—

	Bank Notes.	Coin.
1841	£214,900	£462,600
1842	192,500	475,400
1843	159,900	424,000
1844	151,500	559,900

The bank notes in 1844 *fell short* of those in 1841 by £63,400, or nearly 30 per cent.; whereas the coin in 1844 *exceeded* that in 1841 by £97,300, or 21 per cent.

Their relative amounts in each of the four years will be seen at a glance by the following columns, which show the proportion borne by the amount of bank notes to each £100 worth of coin.

	Bank Notes.		Coin.
1841	£46·9	to	£100
1842	£40·10	to	£100
1843	£37·14	to	£100
1844	£27·1	to	£100

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Thursday.

The Speaker took the Chair at the usual hour.

THE TARIFF BILL.

Mr. ALLEN presented a petition, signed by four thousand respectable persons, praying that the duties on spirits might not be reduced as proposed by the Tariff Bill, and that no tax might be imposed upon tea and sugar. This petition, he said, had been entrusted to his charge in the absence of the Attorney-General who was to have presented it, but who was engaged in his official duties elsewhere.

The petition was read and received.

PORT MACQUARIE.

Captain DUMARESQ presented a petition from the watch-house keeper at Port Macquarie, stating that his duties were rather those of a gaoler than of an ordinary watch-house keeper, and praying that he might receive the same salary as his predecessor, which was 4s. 3d. per diem, viz., 3s. 3d. as watch-house keeper, and 1s. as overseer of the iron-gang men, of which class the petitioner had no less than thirty under his control.

The petition was read and received.

NEWCASTLE.

Mr. WENTWORTH presented a petition from the inhabitants of Newcastle, setting forth that the sum which had been voted last year for the repair of the Ironbark Bridge, on the high road to Newcastle, had been expended in erecting a substantial stone pier under that part of the bridge which had previously given way; but that since this repair, the other side of the bridge had given way in a corresponding manner. The petitioners, therefore, prayed that a sufficient sum might be placed upon the Estimates to cover those repairs. He was averse to this course of proceeding on the part of the House; but as such a course had been hitherto received with great favour, and as this was a most important part of the country, he felt bound to present this petition to the House.

The petition was then read and received, and Mr. WENTWORTH subsequently gave notice of his intention, on Tuesday next, to move that His Excellency the Governor be requested to apply to this service the sum of £200 from out of the £3000 voted for the repair of the roads beyond the county of Cumberland.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A messenger from the Governor having been announced, the Private Secretary was introduced, and presented the two following messages from the Governor.

Message from His Excellency the Governor to the Legislative Council, on presenting to the Council a bill to regulate for a limited time the exportation of gunpowder and warlike stores.

Gentlemen,—In consequence of the present state of the neighbouring colony of New Zealand, I am induced to lay before you a project of a law to regulate for a time, to be therein limited, the exportation of gunpowder and warlike stores from the colony of New South Wales.

GEORGE GIPPS.

Government House, Sydney,
9th October, 1845.

Message from His Excellency the Governor to the Legislative Council, on presenting to the Council a Bill to amend the Acts in force respecting the distillation of spirits, and more effectually to prevent illicit distillation.

Gentlemen,—The laws relating to the distillation of spirits, having been found insufficient for the protection of the revenue, I herewith lay before you a Bill to amend the laws, and more effectually to prevent illicit distillation.

GEORGE GIPPS.

Government House,
October 9th, 1845.

Both the above messages were ordered, upon the motion of the COLONIAL SECRETARY, to be printed, and the second Message was ordered to be taken into consideration on Wednesday next. With reference to the first, it was proposed by the COLONIAL SECRETARY that as the matter was one of a pressing nature, in consequence of some gunpowder having been actually exported to New Zealand, and of its being indispensably necessary to put a stop to the practice at once, he would move the message be taken into consideration to-morrow (this day.) The motion was agreed to without dissent.

ST. KILDA.

Dr. NICHOLSON laid upon the table, the report of the Select Committee appointed to consider the petition of the people of St. Kilda, for the exclusion of that village from the incorporated town and district of Melbourne, and moved that the report be printed.

Ordered.

PORT PHILLIP.

Dr. NICHOLSON gave notice of his intention to move, to-morrow (this day) for the following returns:

1. A return of the ordinary revenue from all sources, (with the exception of the revenue arising from the sale of waste lands) derived from the province of Port Phillip, for the years 1843 and 1844, distinguishing the heads of revenue, and the amount for each year.

2. A return of the whole expenditure actually incurred for the government of the province of Port Phillip (exclusively of the expenses of immigration) for the years 1843 and 1844, distinguishing the heads of service, and the amounts in each year.

3. A return of the revenue arising from the sale of Crown lands and town allotments in the district of Port Phillip, during the years 1843 and 1844, distinguishing the amounts for each year.

4. A return of the expenditure actually incurred for immigration into Port Phillip for the years 1843 and 1844, distinguishing the amounts for each year.

SCAB IN SHEEP.

Mr. COWPER gave notice of his intention on Tuesday next to move for leave to bring in a bill to amend the Act 3rd William IV., No. 5, intituled "An Act for preventing the extension of the infectious disease commonly called the scab, in sheep and lambs, in the colony of New South Wales.

SYDNEY POLICE CLERKS.

Dr. LANG gave notice of his intention on Tuesday next to move, that an address be presented to his Excellency the Governor, praying that his Excellency will be pleased to place upon the estimates such a sum as to his Excellency shall seem fit, in compensation for certain reductions effected in the salaries of the Sydney Police department, under the authority of the City Corporation

EXPORTATION OF GUNPOWDER.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY gave notice of his intention to-morrow (this day) to move the suspension of the 140th section of the Standing Orders of the Council, in order that the Gunpowder Exportation Bill should at once pass through its several stages.

SYDNEY POLICE.

The Bill for the suspension of the 70th section of the Sydney Incorporation Act was read a second time, upon the motion of the COLONIAL SECRETARY, without discussion; and having been considered in Committee, was ordered to be engrossed, and read a third time on Wednesday next.

MELBOURNE POLICE.

The Bill for the suspension of the 70th section of the Melbourne Incorporation Act was also read a second time, upon the motion of the COLONIAL SECRETARY; and having been considered in Committee, was ordered to be engrossed, and read a third time on Wednesday next.

THE TARIFF BILL.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY moved that the Tariff Bill be read a third time.

The motion having been seconded,

Mr. WENTWORTH said, that he regretted that owing to having been detained on board the Hunter River steamer from Tuesday morning to nine o'clock this morning, he was not present during the debate which had taken place on this measure yesterday. He could not but deplore the scale of duties which the House had determined upon; he was convinced that the Bill would be not only inoperative but mischievous, and the same system of smuggling and illicit distillation that had for some time been carried on, would still be persevered in. It was shown by the evidence of every witness that had been examined before the House, that a duty of 4s. 6d. per gallon on imported rum was sufficient to induce parties to smuggle, and the differential duty which was established by this Bill, was nothing less than a bonus to the class of people who engaged in illicit distillation. Within the last eight or ten years, owing to the encouragement which had been given to smuggling and illicit distillation by the duties which prevailed, the revenue had been defrauded of enormous sums of money. He could not be aware of the reasons which had induced the House to assent to a measure which he must consider indefensible; and if he had any hope that the Bill would be amended, if it was not that there had been large majorities in favour of its provisions, he would now propose that it should be recommitted, instead of being read a third time; he hoped that the head of the Executive Government, however, if he did not feel it his duty to refuse to assent to the Bill altogether, would at all events send it back to the House for amendment; and when it was in that manner brought before House again, that the House would be more enlightened on the matter, and would pass a measure, which, if not perfect, would be less objectionable at all events than that which they had agreed to last night. He should like the measure better if it did not go to establish a differential duty; not, however, that he had any hope that a duty of 4s. 6d. would prevent illicit distillation and smuggling: for he felt convinced that with such a duty both would still prevail in the country

Mr. ALLEN said, that he concurred in the objections of the honorable and learned member for Sydney, to the duties fixed by this Bill, but not upon the same grounds. He believed, indeed, that the duties were not sufficiently lowered to put an end to illicit distillation; but he believed also that what the Bill did do would have the effect of greatly increasing drunkenness; and he, instead of moving that the Bill should be re-committed for amendment, would, if he thought it would be of any use, move that it be read a third time this day six months.

Mr. LAMB said, he should not oppose the third reading of the Bill, but he wished to make some observations now, as another opportunity might not be afforded him. The duty of 4s. 6d. a gallon on imported rum was a bonus of 4s. 6d. a gallon to the illicit distiller: for the distiller would make his rum as much like West India rum as he could, and would get it into the market and dispose of it as West India rum, and thus have the benefit of the whole 4s. 6d. duty. Much had already been stated to the House as to the extraordinary leakage which was reported to have taken place in bonded stores attached to distilleries; it had been insinuated, indeed, that leakage took place in other bonded stores; but not to the same extent certainly as in the stores attached to distilleries. Not a day passed but some glaring case was brought under his notice—and he knew of some where it was not pretended that it was leakage only, but casks and all were gone. He held in his hand certificates of eight casks of rum that were sold in an insolvent estate. These were placed in Mr. Robert Cooper's bonded stores, in 1843; when the last purchaser went in 1845 to have his spirits reguaged and taken out,—there were two certificates for four casks each,—he first got two casks, and against the others was marked in the certificate "out"—yes, they were out, casks and all. These spirits were 32 over proof. In sending the second certificate for the other four casks, he found three casks, one of which was empty, and against it was written in the certificate, "used to fill up your other casks;" he did find the hoops and staves in this case; but three casks out of the eight were gone altogether. Proceedings had in consequence been commenced in the Supreme Court, but it was not likely that it would be allowed to come before the Court: for no doubt the owner of the spirits would be paid the cost of them; but the Colonial Treasurer would never get his share, which was three times the amount of that cost. This was a clear and distinct case; he had heard of others of a similar nature;—but of this he held in his hand the proof.

Mr. BLAND was understood to say that the statement made by the honorable member for Miller's Point had no bearing whatever on the question; all that it showed was, that abuses existed in the bonded stores here, which ought to be remedied; that he could not see why distillation should not be allowed to be carried on here as well as in England; and as abuses were shown to exist, it was for the Executive Government to detect the parties in whom they originated, and to adopt measures to obviate them in future;—that with respect to the differential duty, his remarks in support of it were not because he desired a protective duty, although the press had misrepresented him, and said that he had argued in favour of a protective duty; but the press almost invariably did misrepresent what was said by members, unless indeed they took the trouble to put it into writing themselves; that he did not support any duty as a protection for the distiller or the grain-grower, but as a protection to the revenue; that he had distinctly stated the principle on which he would fix the duties for the purpose of revenue: as high as possible on colonial spirits, so that it was not high enough to encourage illicit distillation; and as high as possible on imported spirits, so that it was not high enough to hold out inducements for smuggling; that the press was constantly wrong in its statements of what members said; that as it suited their views or convenience the press sometimes mentioned when he voted, sometimes did not; that sometimes an argument was left out altogether, at other times misrepresented; that as he considered it of paramount importance that the public should be correctly informed of what was said, he had read his speech the other day; that although it was stated at the time that it was irregular to do so, he was only following the practice of speakers in France and America and other countries; that the statements of the press ought not to be received by the public as correct; and if the rules of the Council would not permit members to read their speeches, it would be well if some alteration could be made in them, so as to permit it, or members would be exposed to great hardship; that he had yesterday stated half a dozen times that he did not support the duties as protective duties yet he had been reported as having supported a protective duty; that he had said that he supported the duty as being as high as colonial spirits would bear, without giving encouragement to illicit distillation; that with respect to the difference made in the duty on brandy and gin and other spirits, he thought a very rational explanation had been given why it should be so;—that he should support the third reading of the Bill.

Dr. NICHOLSON said, that the term abuses used by his honorable friend, was far too mild to apply to the system which had been acted on by some, at all events, of the distillers; after the evidence the House had heard, the system could only be characterised as one of wholesale plunder; and the individuals concerned in the trade deserved no mercy at the hands of this Council. But he should like to ask how it was that after the disclosures that had been made, the Crown law officers took no steps to prosecute the parties who were known to be the culprits? How was it that no steps were taken to punish parties who committed fraud in so barefaced a manner? Surely some means should be adopted in such a case as that described by the honorable member from Miller's Point to make the parties accountable. There could be no doubt, as observed by the honorable member for Sydney, that the revenue had within the last few years been defrauded of hundreds of thousands of pounds; this was clear from the admissions of the parties principally concerned. The term abuses was, in his opinion, altogether too mild, and something more than detection was required.

Mr. PANTON said, that very great alterations were no doubt required in the bonded store system; not only in those attached to distilleries, but in all; errors had been multiplying every day for a long time past, and the whole system required to be altered. With respect to the amount of duty, he thought that 3s. 6d. a gallon on colonial spirits would not prevent illicit distillation, but 7s. 6d. would.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY said, that he agreed in many of the observations of the honorable and learned member for Sydney, especially with respect to the differential duty. He was opposed to it as strongly as any one could be, and he regretted that his efforts to oppose the introduction of a differential duty in favour of colonial manufacture—for it was not colonial produce—had not been effectual. He had stated, that if the distillers had clearly shown that they used nothing but colonial produce in the manufacture of their spirits, the case would have been somewhat different; but when it was clearly shown on the contrary, that the articles they used were imported, they had no claim whatever on the consideration of this House; but even if the articles used in the manufacture were colonial produce, on sound principles no differential duty should be established. That the duty established by this Bill was a protective duty was as clear as possible; it was a duty of 1s. a gallon in favour of the colonial distiller; it was avowedly supported as such by some honorable members, and one argument used was, that colonial distillers could not go on unless there was some such protection. He was sorry to see that while opposite principles were extending in every quarter in England, here, instead of following such an example, we were falling back upon the antiquated principles of protection. With respect to the case brought forward by the honorable member from Miller's Point, he feared that there were many other cases of a similar nature, it was consistent with the facts which had been given in evidence before the House; and facts such as these showed that the distillers were not entitled to any consideration whatever from this House. He had before stated, that in order that the revenue might be maintained, it was necessary that the distilleries should be placed under an effectual restraint, as in England, in order to prevent frauds such as were now perpetrated; and if a proper and stringent law were passed, he believed that the protective duty proposed by this Bill would never come into operation: for he did not think that the distiller would be able to compete with imported spirits, if the duty on them was reduced as the Bill proposed; he believed that the duty of one shilling would not cover the difference of expense, and it would be only by continuing to defraud the revenue that the distiller would be able to carry on his trade at all. The honorable member for Sydney had spoken of the system which prevailed in France and America of members reading their speeches. If that honorable member knew as he did, what a nuisance that reading of speeches had become, he was sure he would not advocate such a system. It was not always, that they might expect a learned essay such as that prepared for them by the honorable member, and this practice would be of the utmost inconvenience. In America, while a member was reading his speech other members were busied in writing letters to their constituents; the long read speeches were never published in the papers, but were printed sometimes in pamphlets, and distributed by the members who read them, by each among his own constituents. He should regret to see such a practice introduced into this House. The honorable member concluded by saying that he should press the third reading, although he entertained some objections to the Bill, and there might be, as suggested by the honorable and learned member for Sydney, another opportunity afforded of making some alterations in the Bill.

The question was then put, and the Bill was ordered to be read a third time.

The Bill was read a third time and passed—and the Speaker and the Collector of Customs were appointed a deputation to present the Bill to the Governor.

THE SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES.

The COLONIAL TREASURER brought forward the item of £2000 towards erecting a powder magazine at Melbourne. This matter had been much pressed on the Government for some years past; but had been delayed until now, when it was thought no longer safe to the inhabitants of Melbourne to be without a magazine.

Mr. LAMB said, that this item had been postponed in order that information might be obtained as to what would probably be the total cost of the building.

The COLONIAL TREASURER said, that formerly when the subject was under consideration, it was supposed that £2500 would be sufficient; and now that labour and materials for building were much cheaper than at that time, it was not probable that more than £2500 would be required.

Mr. LAMB did not oppose the vote; but suggested that a saving might be effected by erecting this magazine on some spot which would be contiguous to any of the future defences of the harbour at Port Phillip, and when an Ordnance Department was established, the building might be turned over to that department. At the same time he thought that £2000 was a very large sum to appropriate for such a purpose.

Mr. DUMARESQ said, that he would not sanction any expenditure, unless a plan and an estimate were submitted to the Council first.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY objected, that for the House to require a plan of every building to be submitted to it, would be interfering with the province of the Executive; but he thought that the House had a right to be informed as nearly as possible what would be the cost of any building that was proposed before they voted money for it. He believed that the absence of a powder magazine was looked upon by the people at Melbourne as a great grievance, and at a public meeting held in Melbourne, the subject was alluded to; and he was informed that three groans had been given for the Governor and this Council for not having provided a powder magazine. With respect to the suggestion of the honorable member from Miller's Point, it could not be carried out, as there was no ordnance department at Melbourne, nor was there likely to be any for some time at all events; nor did he think that any such saving would be caused to the colonial revenue. The Sydney magazine had been built by the Ordnance Department; but an Act of Council had been passed which authorised a charge of store-rent, which he had no doubt repaid the outlay, and if this magazine were built at Melbourne it would perhaps be desirable to pass an Act authorising a charge of store-rent there, which of course would go to the general revenue. The original estimate for the building was £2500, which he had no doubt would cover the cost

Mr. COWPER said, that he thought that £2500 would be well expended in such a building, from the want of which the lives of the inhabitants were endangered; recently accidents had occurred by explosions, and human life had been sacrificed. Melbourne was an important town, and from its being an import town, required a powder magazine; and as the store rent would go to defray the expense of building, he could not see how the Council could refuse the amount asked for.

Mr WENTWORTH opposed the motion, on the ground that there was no necessity for so large an outlay, if for any; the quantity of powder required for Melbourne, could not be more than one or two tons a year, and even if the importation amounted to eight or ten tons, he did not see the necessity of such a magazine; he feared that this, like most other demands for Port Phillip, was much larger than their wants justified. He objected also providing for such a building out of the colonial funds, as it ought to be provided out of the military chest.

Mr. ROBINSON denied that what was asked for was more than was required, and spoke of an accident that had recently occurred, in which seven lives were lost in consequence of an explosion of gunpowder.

Mr. WENTWORTH said that the accident arose probably in consequence of negligence.

Dr. LANG supported the vote of £2000, and he said that in consequence of the discovery of granite and other valuable stone for building, in the neighbourhood of Melbourne, a large quantity of powder would probably be used for quarrying. Melbourne supplied all the District of Port Phillip too, and also vessels trading to the South Sea Islands and elsewhere, which took gunpowder for the purposes of traffic. He hoped that the House would not refuse a vote in which the people of Melbourne took so warm an interest.

Mr. ALLEN supported the vote.

Mr. LOWE pointed out that the law at present in force would not apply to the magazine at Melbourne if it were built; and that perhaps the Council might not be willing after it was built to sanction any further Act.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY stated, that in 1841 the quantity of gunpowder in Melbourne was 7190 lbs. It was proposed that this magazine should be built so as to contain 25,000 lbs., and the site proposed was in the vicinity of Hobson's Bay, near the shipping. It was important, he urged, on account of the shipping, that there should be a magazine; and he instanced the case of the *Ann Jamison*, that blew up in Port Jackson, and formed for many years an obstruction in the harbour, besides nearly communicating fire to other vessels in the harbour.

Mr. WINDEYER objected to the vote. All that the Council had to do, he said, was to pass a law prohibiting powder above a certain quantity from being brought into the town. Private individuals would soon set about building magazines for it.

After some further conversation, the question was put, and the House divided. There were—

Ayes	12
Noes	8
Majority in favour of the motion	4

The COLONIAL TREASURER next brought forward the item of £200 for the formation of a jetty at Port Albert.

This motion was opposed on various grounds, namely, that it was not a proper charge on the general revenue, but on the land revenue; that the proposed jetty would be useless, as there were already places where people shipped produce and cattle which they would still frequent, even though the wharf or jetty should be built; also on the ground that the Government had not incurred expenditure for such a purpose on this side the colony; and further that the only object in view or to be attained would be the improvement of the Crown lands in the neighbourhood; and it was suggested that the Government should sell the adjacent land in waterside allotments, and leave it to private individuals to provide wharfs and jetties as they were required. The motion was supported on the ground that the sum asked for was a small one; that it was only for the convenience of the public that it was asked, and it was stated that the Government did not intend to impose any wharfage rate.

The House finally divided on the motion, and there were—

Noes	13
Ayes	8
Majority in favour of the motion	5

ESTIMATES FOR 1846.

The COLONIAL TREASURER brought forward the estimate for the

BOTANIC GARDENS, SYDNEY.

	£	s.	d.
Superintendent	£140	0	0
Overseer, at 3s. per diem	54	15	0
Provisions, Clothing, and Bedding, for twenty-four men	200	0	0
Half Forage for two Horses	25	0	0
Stores and Utensils	60	5	0
Repairs of Buildings	14	0	0
Stationery	6	0	0
	£500	0	0

In addition to this, it was proposed to vote £60, in order to make up the salary of the superintendent to £200, as a competent person who had been selected by Sir William Hooper, was daily expected to come out to fill the situation, which had only been held provisionally by the person now in the office.

A lengthy discussion took place as to whether it was competent for the Council to make such an addition as that proposed without having been first formally asked to do so by Message from the Governor. Finally the question was put, and the sum of £60 was carried, together with the original estimate, making altogether £560.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE.

The COLONIAL TREASURER moved the appropriation of a sum of £795, to defray the expenses of the Government Printing Office, according to the following Estimate:—

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE.

	£	s.	d.
Government Printer	200	0	0
Clerk and Assistant	125	0	0
Matron to the Apprentices	15	0	0
Pay of Free Compositors, Pressmen, and a Binder	440	0	0
Pay of Free Apprentices	150	0	0
Provisions for Apprentices and Prisoners of the Crown	180	0	0
Clothing and Bedding for Apprentices and Prisoners of the Crown	90	0	0
Gratuities to Prisoners of the Crown	35	0	0
New Type and Printing Materials	250	0	0
Printing Ink, Brass Rule, and Repairs to Presses	70	0	0
Fuel and Light, £75—Cooking Utensils, £10	85	0	0
Postage and Stationery, £30—Incidental Expenses, £25	55	0	0
	1,695	0	0
Less, Collections by the Government Printer	900	0	0
	£795	0	0

Mr. COWPER remarked, that before this vote was passed, he would beg leave to intimate to the Colonial Secretary that rumours were abroad of many abuses still existing in this department. It was said that both old and new type belonging to the office had been abstracted and sold, and that this practice was still existing.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY said, that he was very glad of having an opportunity to offer some explanation with regard to this department. He was sorry to admit that gross irregularities and frauds had been discovered in this establishment some time since, and that these frauds had been committed by a person in whom he had not only placed implicit confidence, but had defended at the time he was attacked by members of that House. At the time he, the Colonial Secretary, did this, an investigation was made; but he, the Colonial Secretary, had no reason to believe that there was any truth in the charges then made, as he had since ascertained to be the case. He admitted that he had been most grossly deceived in this individual, who had since been dismissed; but the necessity of such an establishment must be obvious to all, and under a proper supervision it would no doubt work well. The expenses of the establishment during the last year was £1580 odd, and the sums received by the department for advertisements, &c., was above £900. Since then, it had been ascertained that the public revenue had been defrauded to the extent of about £500, so that if the whole of the amount collected had been paid, the receipts would have nearly equalled the amount of expenditure. To guard against future abuses, a competent and respectable person had been appointed to keep the books of the establishment, who would give security to the extent of £100 for the sums which would pass through his hands from time to time in the shape of collections, and this security would be sufficient to cover any amount that he could have in his hands at any one time. A Board had likewise been appointed, consisting of the Auditor-General, the Clerk of the Council, and the Colonial Storekeeper, to which Board was entrusted the whole supervision of the department, so that similar abuses were not likely to occur. It was true that a complaint had been made of the nature alluded to by the honorable member for Cumberland, and this matter had been referred to the Board, who had placed themselves in communication with the Commissioner of Police respecting it; but he believed that these occurrences had not been of a recent nature, but had taken place during the management of the dismissed officer before alluded to.

Dr. LANG admitted the necessity that the Government should have such an establishment as this; but objected to the employment of apprentices in this establishment, as an improper interference with the printing trade, inasmuch as there was no difficulty in procuring labour of this description: for many printers had been constrained to leave the colony for want of employment; and the conduct of the Government in taking a large number of apprentices, rather than employ the compositors, had excited a great degree of dissatisfaction.

Mr. DARVALL contended that apprentices might as properly be taken at the printing establishment of the Government, as at that of any private individual.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY stated, that the apprentices, which were fourteen or sixteen in number, had been first employed as a measure of economy, and had in this respect answered the expectations of the Government, particularly as it would have been impossible to have carried on this establishment without such a measure, except at most ruinous expense. He contended also, that the taking of apprentices in the Government Printing Office was no improper interference with trade; and stated that the apprentices themselve had, for the most part, made great progress in learning their business, and bid fair to become excellent workmen.

Mr. WINDEYER objected to apprentices being taken at the Government Printing Office, on the ground that the Government had no right to interfere with trade, or to take upon itself the responsibility of training up these youths.

After some further conversation, the sum moved for was voted.

MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.

A sum of £600 was voted without dissent to meet the expenses of paper for printing, &c., for the public service generally.

A sum of £100 was voted to meet the expenses of newspapers for record, and for the Secretary of State.

A sum of £140 was voted for the Lighting of the Government Lamps, Sydney.

A sum of £200 was voted towards the support of the Australian Museum.

A sum of £200 was voted towards the support of the Sydney School of Arts.

A sum of £150 was voted in aid of the Mechanics' Institution at Melbourne,

A sum of £1000 was voted in aid of the Private Hospitals at Windsor, Maitland, Bathurst, Goulburn, and Melbourne, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private contributions.

A sum of £1800 having been moved for to meet the expenses of taking the census for 1846.

Mr. COWPER enquired how it was that so large a sum was required.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY replied, that the expenses of taking the census would be necessarily increased by the increase in the population, and that it was proposed to obtain a great deal of useful information in addition to that formerly obtained. He also stated that the Committee upon the Census Bill would have a meeting to-morrow, (this day), and he hoped to be then in a condition to present the report and go on with the Bill.

The sum moved for was then voted.

A sum of £280 was voted without opposition, to meet the expense of preparing the electoral lists; but it was remarked by Mr. COWPER, in the course of a short conversation which took place upon this item, that the duty of preparing these lists was performed in a very slovenly manner.

A sum of £12,000 having been proposed as a further aid for the erection of the New Military Barracks, a short discussion ensued, in the course of which it was stated by the COLONIAL SECRETARY, in reply to a question from Mr. WINDEYER, that despatches had been received from home, in which the claim set up on the part of the colony, to have as an equivalent for this expenditure, the land occupied by the present Military Barracks, was admitted. It was also stated by the same honorable member, that the Barracks could scarcely be completed in less than a year or eighteen months; but that the work in this building, although like all which was done by contract, was inferior to that performed by workmen in the immediate employment of the Government, was nevertheless substantial. This latter remark was made with reference to an allusion by Mr. LOWE, to reports which were abroad as to the instability of the foundations of this building; and in connection with the same point, it was remarked by Dr. LANG, that, although there was some failure in the foundations of some of the walls, or outer buildings, the foundations of the main buildings, which had been constructed under the superintendence of the commanding Royal Engineer were perfectly sound.

After some further discussion, the sum moved for was voted.

A sum of £2000 was next proposed to meet unforeseen expenses, in cases of emergency, to be hereafter accounted for.

Mr. WINDEYER opposed this vote, contending, that from its general nature it was in opposition to that part of the Constitutional Act, which required that no sum should be voted by the House, unless the specific head of expenditure for which that sum was voted should in the first instance have been proposed by the Executive Government. He also objected to the placing so large a sum as this within the uncontrolled power of the Government, as from the acts of the Executive, with reference to the expenditure in the department of colonial distilleries and other matters, he had no confidence of its being expended in a manner accordant with the views of the House.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY contended that this vote was absolutely necessary, in order to afford the Executive a means for meeting demands upon it, which could scarcely fail to occur; but which could not be foreseen. As an example of these contingencies, the honorable member referred to the case of the *Coringa Packet*, in which it had been found necessary to hire a vessel for the relief of a number of Lascars left on an island in Torres Straits. He also pointed out the impossibility of any malappropriation of this sum, inasmuch as it would be taken on the express condition of being afterwards accounted for. That part of the Constitutional Act referred to had no bearing upon this question, having no other object than of preventing the House from voting sums of money for services respecting which there had been no proposal from the Government; while in the present case there was an actual proposition from the Government.

Mr. WENTWORTH took a similar view of this question to that urged by Mr. Windeyer, with reference to the operation of the Constitutional Act, and contended that the very case quoted by the Colonial Secretary showed that there could be no difficulty in dispensing altogether with a vote of this description: for in that case the Governor had very properly authorised the expenditure upon his own responsibility, and had come to the House to indemnify him for this Act, which they had readily done.

Mr. DARVALL considered that such a course of proceeding as that suggested by the honorable member for Sydney would be irregular; and assuming that there would, as contended, be an irregularity in a vote of the kind now proposed, it was better that this irregularity should take place, and that the Government should be provided with means for making such contingencies, particularly as the accounts of the Government would have to be accredited by the House, and an opportunity would be thus afforded for an expression of opinion upon this expenditure.

Mr. SUTTOR expressed his intention of supporting the vote proposed; and as an example of the frequency of expense which could not be foreseen, pointed out a case which had occurred at Bathurst, where the river was rendered impassable for a considerable period by reason of the floods; and the Government being applied to for aid, had replied that it had no money for such purposes, so that an iron gang had to be sent for 100 miles off for the service. He had himself endeavoured to collect subscriptions from the residents in the neighbourhood for the service; but they had all refused to subscribe, alleging that it was an act of meanness on the part of this House to refuse funds for meeting demands of this nature.

Mr. LOWE opposed the vote upon grounds similar to those urged by Messrs. Windeyer and Wentworth, and pointed out the absence of all control on the part of the House over an expenditure of this nature, in the event of the £2000 applied for being granted: for however objectionable might be the mode in which this sum was expended, the House could not interfere with it in any other manner than by a bare expression of opinion, which could be of no avail. The honorable member also referred to the payment of rewards for the detection of illicit distillation, and the mode of appropriating the fees payable under the Court of Requests Act, as an evidence of the danger of leaving so large a power in the hands of the Executive.

After some further discussion, the Committee divided upon the motion with the following result:—

Ayes	[illegible]
Noes	[illegible]
Majority in favour of the motion	[illegible]

The House then resumed, and the CHAIRMAN having reported progress, obtained leave to sit again on Wednesday next.

Council adjourned at nine o'clock P.M., until three o'clock this afternoon.

DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE.

INSOLVENCY PROCEEDINGS.

Thursday.

Before the Chief Commissioner.

Proof of Claims.

In the estate of John Finlater Clements, a third meeting was held, at which K. N. [illegible] proved a claim for £70. The meeting allowed the insolvent to retain his wearing apparel, and was adjourned till the 23rd instant.

In the estate of William Cross (deceased) a second meeting was held, at which the following claims were proved: Michael M'Quade, £20; Thomas M'Donell, £4 3s.; C. A. [illegible]din, £1 14s. 3d.; William Bell, £37 11s. 6d.; The *Herald* Office, £1 18s. 10d.; R. W. Cob[illegible]croft, £14 17s. 8d.

In the estate of David Cross, a single meeting was held, at which the following claims were proved: R. Palmer, £75 16s. 2d.; [illegible] M'Quade, £24; James Norton, £26 6s. 7d.; T. Weedon, £24; T. Tebbutt, £34 18s. The meeting was then adjourned till the [illegible] instant.

Certificates of Discharge.

The following persons having complied with the Insolvent laws, and being unopposed, had their certificates allowed them, viz.: Edward Williams, Daniel Parson Grove, and John Martin Davis.

James Burfit was examined by Mr. [illegible] as attorney for a creditor named John [illegible]. After which, the Commissioner stated, that no grounds had been shown why the certificate should be withheld, he was bound to allow [illegible] on which the certificate was granted as applied for.

Meeting for To-day.

David Reece, an adjourned single meeting, at eleven o'clock.

Meetings for To-morrow.

George James Thompson, a special meeting, at eleven o'clock.

Ambrose Foss, a special meeting, at half-past eleven.

William Holman Berry, an adjourned special meeting, at one.

CITY COUNCIL.

A meeting of the City Council will be held at the Town Hall, on Monday next, at [illegible] o'clock in the afternoon.

Orders of the Day.

1. To receive Reports from the Chairman of Committees.
2. To receive such memorials and petitions as may be presented.
3. To read correspondence.
4. To consider the following Notices of Motion:—

1st.—By Councillor Thurlow:

That the letter of the District Surveyor dated 13th ult., is unsatisfactory; and that a select committee be appointed to investigate the conduct of the District Surveyor in delaying to carry out the resolution of the Council of the 19th March last, with respect to the obstruction erected by Mr. Charles Morris, in Bourke-street, Surry Hills; and that they report to this Council thereon.

2nd.—By Alderman Flood:

That a deputation be appointed for the purpose of waiting on W. C. Wentworth, Esq., Member for the City, to request that gentleman to fulfil his pledge to the honorable the Legislative Council, made on Tuesday, the 18th day of December last, to the effect that at the commencement of the ensuing session he would found a [illegible]

solution on the Petition of the City Council, (then presented by him) praying that all sums which had been raised by direct taxation on the citizens of Sydney, and appropriated to Police purposes, might be refunded to the Corporation for the general improvement of the City.

5. Motions.
6. To consider the following business standing over, of which notice has been given :—
 1. The Report of the By-laws Committee, together with the By-law for regulating the proceedings of the Council, and the election of Mayor, Aldermen, Councillors, and Corporate Officers ; and the By-law for regulating Hackney Carriages, &c., dated and received by the Council on the 30th August last.
 2. The petition of the Hackney Coach and Car Proprietors and Drivers ; received by the Council on the 9th August last.
 3. The following notice of motion by Alderman Macdermott, viz. :—That so much of the resolution of the Council, of date 30th December last, as fixes the commission of Collectors of City rates at four per cent. on the moneys collected, be rescinded, and that a new rate of remuneration be fixed by the Council.
 4. The Report of the Lighting Committee, on the subject of lighting the City with gas and with oil ; received by the Council on the 1st September.
 5. The Report of the Improvement Committee for the half year ending 30th June, 1845 ; received by the Council on the 1st September.
7. To elect a Collector of rates for Macquarie and Cook Wards, in the room of John Layton, resigned.

METEOROLOGY.

(Compiled expressly for the Sydney Morning Herald.)

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT, SOUTH HEAD, FROM 30TH SEPTEMBER, TO 6TH OCTOBER, 1845.

Date.	Moon's Age.	Barometer. 8½ A.M.	Barometer. 2½ P.M.	Barometer. Sunset.	Barometer. 9 P.M.	Attached Thermometer. 8½ A.M.	Attached Thermometer. 2½ P.M.	Attached Thermometer. Sunset.	Attached Thermometer. 9 P.M.	Detached Thermometer. 8½ A.M.	Detached Thermometer. 2½ P.M.	Detached Thermometer. Sunset.	Detached Thermometer. 9 P.M.	Wet Therm. at 2½ P.M.	Rain Fallen.	Winds.
Tuesday 30	29	30·016	30·004	30·000	30·014	68	65	64	64	69	65	61	60	62	......	W. by S., South
Wednesday 1	● 9 3 P.M.	29·954	29·900	29·884	29·862	64	71	69	69	62	75	68	69	67	......	W.S.W., N., N. by E.
Thursday 2	1	29·880	29·877	29·914	29·980	69	68	68	66	70	73	66	60	63	0·03	N.W., S.W., N.W., W.
Friday 3	2	30·101	30·077	30·054	30·093	64	67	66	64	63	66	61	60	62	......	W.N.W., N.E., N.E. by N.
Saturday 4	3	30·103	30·055	30·050	30·083	64	66	65	65	62	67	63	62	65	......	Calm, N.E.
Sunday 5	4	30·151	30·148	30·133	30·151	66	67	66	65	65	69	64	62	65	......	N.W., S.E., E. by N.
Monday 6	5	30·154	30·074	30·051	30·056	67	68	66	64	66	68	64	61	63	......	Calm, N.W., N.E.

GENERAL REMARKS.

TUESDAY, 30.—Calm, hazy, and sun powerful till nine o'clock ; then a southerly wind arose and blew fresh and gusty at intervals through the day,—atmosphere continuing foggy and thick. At four o'clock an unusually dense wet fog swept over from southward. At night wind died away,—foggy throughout.

WEDNESDAY, 1.—A thick fog till eight o'clock, afterwards oppressively warm and muggish, with a thick hazy atmosphere all day. Forenoon calm ; middle and latter part hot wind from northward. Night, calm and cloudy.

THURSDAY, 2.—Calm and very gloomy early part : 8·30 A.M., south-west squalls, with a thick haze, passed over, and blew more or less fresh till noon,—at that time some refreshing rain fell. Afternoon, calm and bright ; cirrous clouds : night, the like.

FRIDAY, 3.—Calm and somewhat gloomy till about eleven o'clock ; middle and latter part moderately fresh north-easterly wind, and bright atmosphere. Night, moderate and clear.

SATURDAY, 4.—Bright sunny weather ; calm morning and evening ; middle part gentle north-easterly breezes.

SUNDAY, 5.—Calm and sultry, and clouds hanging heavily early part ; A.M., cleared, sun became powerful, and very gentle breezes from eastward ; calms prevailed middle and latter part. Night, calm and foggy.

MONDAY, 6.—Morning, nearly calm, and dense fogs remained suspended over the water till near nine o'clock, forming extensive banks of stratus. Between seven and eight an entire (min-) bow was formed in the fog, bright at the extremities, though colourless ;—subsequently a clear fine day. Afternoon, wind got to blow moderately fresh from north-east. Night, moderate and clear till midnight ; latter part calm and cloudy.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION, THIS DAY.

MR. STUBBS.—At his Mart, at 12 o'clock, the Estate of Mount St. Thomas, Illawarra, 5107 Sheep ; at 1 o'clock, on the ground, Houses and Premises at the corner of Cambridge and Gloucester streets.

MR. J. G. COHEN.—At his Rooms, at 11 o'clock, Chinese Crackers, Mutton Hams, Tongues, and General Merchandise ; at 12 o'clock, a Phaeton.

MR. S. LYONS.—At Campbell's Wharf, at half-past 10 o'clock, Damaged Sugar ; at his Mart, at 12 o'clock, Phaetons, and Outstanding Debts in the Insolvent Estate of Rowley and Hunt.

MR. C. NEWTON.—At his Rooms, at half-past 10 o'clock, Damaged Checks, Chambrays, &c. ; at 11 o'clock, Drapery, Haberdashery, Slops, Hats, Shoes, Cards, &c.

MR. MORT.—At his Rooms, at 11 o'clock, Scythes, Deal Planks, Hoop Iron, Kegs, Flour, Ironmongery, Cutlery, Pork and Beef ; at 12 o'clock, Flour Sacks, Three Bushel Bags, Sherry Wine.

MR. W. G. MOORE. — At his Rooms, this evening, Books.

COUNTRY SALE.

MR. BURNS.—At the Market-place, Parramatta, October 11, Cattle.

SCHOOL OF ARTS.—Another of the series of lectures for the season, in connexion with the above Institution, was delivered by Mr. S. P. Hill, on the evening of Monday last. The subject was "The Principles of Taste," one which has long occupied the talents of the most acute philosophers, and regarding which the greatest possible variety of opinions exists. The fact of this diversity goes greatly to strengthen the position assumed by the lecturer, viz. : that no fixed standard of taste can be set up ; but that the taste of every man depends upon, and is varied according to his own mental organization. Therefore two individuals contemplating the same object, either in nature or art, at the same moment, and under the same circumstances, may differ widely in their ideas of taste regarding it, and still both be perfectly correct in their way. In the first part of the lecture Mr. H. proceeded to analyse the definitions of taste which have been given by numerous writers upon the subject, so as to exhibit the disparity which exists between them, and the subsequent reasoning of these authors, together with the fallacy of building upon premises which cannot stand under the whole breadth of an argument. He afterwards endeavoured to make good his own ground, by showing that beauty exists not in any object itself, apart from the mind, neither does it depend upon any association of ideas, caused by any real or supposed resemblance between the thing contemplated and the something else with which we are acquainted ; but that it is beautiful or deformed only in so far as the individual mind acting thereon considers it to be so.

IMPORTANT ! — We are requested by Mr. Stubbs to announce that this day, at 12 o'clock, comes on the great sale of the fine woolled flocks at Ballyroe, in the beautiful district of Bathurst, so celebrated for its sheep walks, and that the sale is arranged with the view of consulting the wishes of those gentlemen who prefer purchasing only one or more flocks as it may suit them to begin with. The "Mount Thomas Estate" immediately afterwards, and the two houses in Cambridge and Gloucester streets at 1 o'clock precisely—the whole well worthy of the attendance of buyers.—*Communicated.*

GREAT SALE of Damaged Sugars at Campbell's Wharf, This Day.—Mr. Lyons has requested us to call the attention of grocers and country storekeepers to the sale of 266 cases and 100 barrels of damaged sugar, which takes place this day, at Campbell's Wharf, at half-past ten o'clock : the sugar will be put up in lots to suit the convenience of purchasers.—*Communicated.*

POLICE COURT BUSINESS.—THURSDAY.—There were six names on the drunkards' list, of whom, one woman, being a convict under sentence, was forwarded to the Hyde Park Barrack Court ; Mary Toomy, for repeated drunkenness, was ordered to pay 11s., or go twenty-four hours to the cells ; two men paid 11s. each, and two others were admonished and discharged. There were five cases on the summons list, viz , one for neglecting to support an illegitimate child, postponed, as the summons had not been served ; one for a breach of the Building Act, postponed till Wednesday next ; one for failing to teach an apprentice, when called on, the indentures were ordered to be cancelled by consent of the parties. There were two cases for breaches of the Licensing Act, in one case the summons had not been served, and in the other the defendant paid 40s., and 5s. costs. There were fourteen cases on the list of miscellaneous charges, viz., John Willis for absconding from his indented service, admonished and discharged ; Margaret Morgan, for stealing a pair of trousers from the verandah of Timothy Maher, dealer, Brickfield-hill ; Joseph Hollis, for assaulting Daniel Baxter, by beating and kicking him when taking some cattle to the pound ; Thomas Pile, for stealing some green stuff from one of his neighbours at Redfern ; and Catherine Bassin, for stealing a guard chain from the chest of a seaman named Morris, one of her lodgers, were committed for trial ; one woman for an assault, and one man for stealing a handkerchief, were discharged, as no prosecutor appeared ; Mary Carney for an assault, and Thomas Lowrey for a breach of the peace, were each bound to keep the peace in £10, and two sureties in £5 each ; Johannah Deacy, for being disorderly and using obscene language, was sent fourteen days to gaol, and Owen Canaher, for an assault, was fined 20s., and 7s. costs ; all the other cases were remanded.

KIAMA.—Mr. John Colley, junior, of Kiama, has been appointed poundkeeper for the pound at Kiama, vacant by the resignation of Mr. John Colley, senior.

FEMALE FACTORY.—State of the Female Factory, Parramatta, on the 1st October, 1845 :— Under colonial sentence, 41 ; not under colonial sentence, 190 ; in solitary confinement, 2 ; in hospital, 25. Total number of women, 258 Total number of children, 87.

NEWS FROM THE INTERIOR.

(From our various Correspondents.)

BATHURST.

ASSIZES.—In reporting the proceedings at our late assizes, the case of Henry Lewis, committed on a charge of horse-stealing, was omitted ; this arose from his not being put on his trial, and we have since ascertained that the Attorney-General declined indicting him. Mr. Hanbury Clements, of Summer-hill, was sworn in a magistrate.

The weather for several days had been intensely and unseasonably hot for Bathurst, and Wednesday last was particularly so ; on Thursday morning we had a gentle shower for three or four hours, which had a very visible effect on herbage and vegetation generally ; since then it has continued very hot.

Sheep shearing has already commenced ; the first load of this year's clip, consisting of a few bales, was brought into our town yesterday (Monday, 6th).

SHEEP AND CATTLE.—For several days two flocks of sheep (stolen) have been depasturing on the flat which has always been considered as the reserve for depasturing the dairy cattle of the residents of our township ; one of these flocks is still depasturing on this land. It is a well-known fact, that cattle will not for some time after feed off land on which sheep have been depastured. In addition to this, a herd of 200 head of cattle (insolvent property) have been running on this land since Thursday last, and if suffered to remain there much longer, there will not be a blade of grass left for the town cattle.

MORETON BAY.

OCTOBER 5.—The reported massacre of Dr. Leichardt and party turns out to be unfounded. P. Hodgson, Esq., and the gentlemen composing the expedition, who went out some two months since to ascertain the correctness of the report, have all returned, after a very interesting (and, so far, highly satisfactory) journey. The following is an extract from a letter received by H. E. Isaacs, Esq., of this town, from his brother, who composed one of the volunteers to go out :

"Gowrie, Darling Downs, September 23.

"I returned here yesterday, after being out six weeks from Jimba, from which place we went out about 230 miles to the N.W. I am glad to say that Leichardt, as far as we can judge, has gone on all right. We found his camp where P. Hodgson left him, 95 miles from Jimba (instead of 150 miles, as he said), and from thence tracked him over the main range to a scrubby creek, which we followed down about 70 miles. This said scrubby creek, in place of being a large *Western Waters*, is only a small tributary of the Boyne. Leichardt had afterwards re-crossed the main range back again to the Western Waters : so that we have succeeded in ascertaining that, as far as the reports of the blacks went, he has gone on all right, and, whatever may have afterwards be fallen him, was quite beyond what we could hear of."

Since I have seen this letter, Mr. P. Hodgson has come in to Brisbane, with the intention of proceeding per steamer to Sydney, and where he will no doubt make his journey public. The country passed through on the route is not spoken of in very good terms, being of a sandy, scrubby description. They encountered the blacks on several occasions, who showed them every desire to be peaceable, sharing their fish and game with them liberally : it is therefore evident that the worthy Doctor has no cause to fear hostility from the tribes in that portion of the country.

The whole of the labourers brought here by the *George* and the *Jane* found employment immediately on landing, at very good wages, averaging from £20 to £25 per annum, and daily inquiries made for more hands.

A little schooner named the *Lark* has gone to the Tweed, with a party of sawyers to cut cedar. The *Jane*, schooner, and the *George*, cutter, have gone on to the Richmond to load. The steamer *Sovereign* had a tedious passage down—nothing but head winds.

The weather continues very dry about the settlement, but the downs on the other side of the range are spoken of as being well covered with luxuriant grass, and the stock in first-rate order.

Intelligence has, within the last few days, been brought into Brisbane that two men have been killed by the blacks, near Mount Lindesay, in the Richmond River district. It appears the two poor fellows were travelling in search of employment, having left this place a short time previous with that intention, and had left Mr. Elliott's station, on the Richmond, to proceed further on ; but one of their dogs having returned the next day to the huts, suspicion was excited that something had happened to them, and on a stock-keeper going over to the station they were going to, and not finding them, confirmed these suspicions. A few days afterwards their bodies were discovered, by the means of a black fellow, dreadfully mutilated, thrown into a creek, and logs of wood heaped on them. The names of the unfortunate men are Thomas Mather, and the other was known under the cognomen of the Bush Lawyer ; the former, with his family, was a resident of South Brisbane, and had left home to work through the shearing season.

A fellow of the name of Wilson, in company with three other men, mounted and armed, are reported to be out bushranging in the New England district. About a fortnight since they bailed up the men at Mr. Periot's station, and, after plundering the place of a lot of articles, rode off with two horses and a mare. The fellow Wilson enquired much after Mr. Cory, who has lately settled on this side of the country, and who has been stopping at Mr. Periot's, and swore if he fell across him he would murder him. They also stopped two men driving cattle for Mr. R. Jones, and enquired if they were Mr. Cory's. On finding they were not, they let the men pass on, first exchanging an old broken-down mare for the stock horses the men were riding. Information was sent to Mr. Commissioner Rolliston, on the Downs, and that gentleman I hear has gone in pursuit of the marauders.

The Police Office has for several days past been the scene of great bustle in consequence of the Coolies lately brought into the district from Port Macquarie, by Mr. Sandeman, having knocked off work, and left the station at Tent Hill to come to Brisbane to seek redress for alleged ill-treatment, non payment of wages, and insufficiency of rations and clothing. The Bench (Messrs. Mickham and Simpson) listened to their complaints with considerable patience ; and some startling facts were elicited during the evidence relative to the treatment of these men whilst on the station. As the case has been of an all-engrossing nature to the residents here, more particularly as the importation of this sort of labour is considered only experimentally : I have given you the particulars more fully than perhaps your columns would otherwise allow. The whole of the men (eighteen in number) were individually examined by the Bench ; and as a sample of the evidence, I subjoin the statement of two of them. It is as follows :— Dabie Sing stated, through the interpreter, Mr. Sheriff, that he believed in the Almighty God, who is the avenger of falsehood, and will speak the whole truth ; I was unwell when I went up to the station, and because I could not work Mr. Ayrest, the superintendent, beat me severely ; he rode after me on horseback, and flogged me with a whip ; I was beat five times ; Mr. Sheriff was present at one time when I was ordered to take my clothes off ; Mr. Ayrest ordered me to take my clothes off, and he then pulled them off because I was unwilling to do so ; he beat me with the branch of a sapling ; the stick was as big as my two fingers ; I was told to cut a stick myself, but having cut one too small, Mr. Ayrest went and cut one himself ; was beaten once with a horsewhip, and at another time with a hurdle stake ; I do not know the day of the month I was beaten ; the last time I was beaten was on a Sunday ; two of the Coolies were present on one occasion, as also Mr. Sheriff.

The interpreter, Mr. Sheriff, corroborated that part of the evidence respecting the beating with a sapling, he having seen the deponent beat on two occasions.

Morrally, a Hindoo, through the interpreter, stated : Mr. Ayrest, the superintendent, beat me with the lash of a bullock-whip, because I could not saw properly ; after he had given me one or two cuts I ran away, when Mr. Ayrest set a dog on me, which bit me in the leg : no one was present ; about an hour after that my hands were tied to a tree by Mr. Ayrest, who gave me two or three dozen cuts on the back with the lash of a bullock whip ; this occurred about four months ago ; the clothes were taken off my back before I was flogged ; they rubbed salt in my stripes ; no one was present on this occasion ; I made it known to the coolies, as also Mr. Sandeman, and Mr. Sheriff.

The other sixteen men and a Hindoo woman made general complaints of bad treatment, but as the cases presented so many difficulties, the Bench informed the solicitor employed by Mr. Ayrest, that the depositions would be forwarded to the Attorney-General, accompanied with the agreement, entered into with the Coolies ; in the mean time, as an assault had been proved against Mr. Ayrest, on the person of the man named Dabie Sing, the Bench would hold Mr. Ayrest to bail, himself in £20, and two sureties in £10 each, to appear to answer the complaint whenever he may be called upon. Mr. Ayrest denied, through his attorney Mr. T. Adams, his ever having illtreated the men. The whole of them have refused to return to the station ; but as measures have been taken to pay them their wages now due, and the Commissioner of Crown Lands (Dr. Simpson) having arranged to leave a policeman at the station with them for a short time, most probably they will go back. Making the best of the matter, there appears to have been very great mismanagement somewhere, both in drawing up the agreement in Calcutta, and subsequently a second one at Port Macquarie, they being very loosely worded.

ORIGINAL CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Editors of the Sydney Morning Herald.

GENTLEMEN,—In your *Morning Herald* of Saturday last, Mr. Richard Windeyer is reported to have delivered the following speech in his place in the Legislative Council, whilst opposing my petition then before the House, viz. :—

Mr. Windeyer said, that it would certainly appear most extraordinary to him if the House should adopt this address, and most certainly if such an item should find its way into the Appropriation Bill, it would induce him to oppose it to the very last ; but he did not think that the House would so stultify itself. The honorable member who had brought forward the motion could know but little of the matter, and he was scarcely surprised that the honorable member who seconded the motion did so, as it was not to be expected that he had changed his opinions on the subject. The matter was simply this : the House, through one of its members, had been grossly insulted ; and the whole colony, through their representatives, set at defiance ; and if the offender had been allowed to pass with impunity, it would have been open to any ruffian with a strong arm, or any one who chose to challenge to fight a duel, to put a stop to all free deliberation in this House. Mr. Lowe did not care about the matter ; he left it entirely to the House ; and the House requested the Attorney-General to prosecute Mr. Macdermott. The offence committed by Mr. Macdermott was that of sending a letter to incite to fight a duel ; and of his offence there was not a shadow of a doubt. And the House, instead of dealing with Mr. Macdermott itself, simply set the law in motion. The matter was brought before the Supreme Court ; and for fifteen years before it had been invariably the practice of the Court, when similar circumstances were disclosed, to put the party upon his trial : and this was all that was required. The Supreme Court had thought fit to depart from this practice ; he did not say that the Court was wrong, but the decision was altogether unexpected. And with respect to the grounds on which the Judges proceeded—as it was their turn to make observations then, so it was his now—and the observations that did fall from the Bench did appear to him the most flimsy that ever fell from any Bench. The Attorney-General having brought the case before the Court, having fully performed his duty as an advocate, the Judges dismissed the application ; and the ground on which they did so was, in plain language, that the matter had already been brought before another tribunal, which was not competent to deal with it, and that therefore the Court, which was competent, would not deal with it. Another ground was even more absurd than it had been represented by the honorable Mayor ; the Judges refused to interfere because it was not sworn in the affidavits that Mr. Lowe would not, under any possible circumstances, go out to fight a duel. The Court admitted that Mr. Macdermott was wrong from the first ; but because the contrary was not sworn, they assumed that Mr. Lowe might have gone out to fight a duel with somebody else, and therefore would not interfere. If the case had been taken to the Police Office, Mr. Macdermott would probably before this have been fined and imprisoned ; but he had thought that the House had perhaps gone far enough in what it had done, to deter others from such offences ; and that what it had cost Mr. Macdermott would, perhaps serve as a warning to him ; but he never did dream of such a petition being presented as this ; or that any member would be so much imposed upon as to bring the matter forward. What might be the reasons of his honorable friend the Mayor for so doing he knew not ; but it did appear that Mr. Macdermott cared not how high he was tossed in the blankets, so long as he had an opportunity of letting his friends in England and elsewhere know that he was alive and kicking ; and as this seemed Mr. Macdermott's chief object, he thought he had been allowed to pursue it cheaply enough. He (Mr. Windeyer) did hope, however, that it would not be allowed to go down on record to posterity that there was an Alderman Macdermott so powerful as to be able to defeat a prosecution conducted by the Attorney-General, although there was no doubt whatever of his guilt ; that not a Government member would rise to oppose a motion that he should be repaid the expenses incurred for his defence ; that even the Attorney-General himself had nothing to say in the matter. If any hardship had been suffered by any individual, however humble, through any wrongful or mistaken proceedings of this House, he should say it was their bounden duty to make ample compensation ; but it would be scandalous to expend the public money in paying the expenses of a man who had chosen to send a threatening letter to a member of the House, and had been prosecuted for it. He was not, it is true, an official protector of the revenue, or rather one of those who assumed to themselves that title, but he was there to protect the public, and he would protect the public, against Mr. Macdermott or any one else that might attempt to invade its rights.

Now, gentlemen, the whole of this statement is what novelists call "fiction founded on facts," and Mr. Windeyer knew this well when he made the statement : for in his zeal to protect members of the House from being called upon to fight duels, and moreover having a fellow-feeling for his friend, Mr. Lowe, he moved for a secret Committee, of which he was chairman, to make preparations for my destruction ; and with a view to attain that object with greater certainty, the debates on the subject were carried on in the House with closed doors. But the Committee finding *that the House cou'd not deal with me*—that the House in fact *possessed no such power as was assumed for it* by Messrs. Lowe, Windeyer, Wentworth, and others, instructed the Attorney-General to prosecute me at the instance of the House.

And now for the grounds on which I was to be prosecuted, which are as follow, namely :— In 1843, a gentleman proposed that another alderman and myself should be enrolled as members of the Australian Subscription Library. A certain person fearing the books might be contaminated by the touch of two such radicals, mustered a number of clerks from the various public offices, who duly *blackballed* the two aldermen. As I did not know that I was a candidate for the honour of membership in the Library till I was informed of the blackballing, it gave me but little concern. But in a few months afterwards, Mr. Robert Lowe, in his place in the Legislative Council, speaking on the Presbyterian Church Temporalities Bill, then before the House, made reference to me by name as having been blackballed in the Australian Subscription Library, little expecting the rough usage he was destined to experience himself in the Australian Club not many months afterwards. Being unacquainted with Mr. Lowe myself, a gentleman of known urbanity of manner and placid disposition called on him with the follow note from me :—

8, George-street, Sydney,
Friday Evening, 28th June, 1844.

Sir,—My attention has been directed to a paragraph in the *Sydney Morning Herald* of to-day, in which you are represented as having alluded to me. I beg to enquire with what object such allusion was made. My friend, Dr. Macfarlane, who will deliver you this letter will receive your reply.

I have the honour to be,
Sir, your most obedient servant.
H. MACDERMOTT.

To —— Lowe, Esq., M.C.,
Horbury Terrace, Sydney.

Observing that Mr. Lowe turned a little pale whilst reading this note, my friend assured him his visit was of the most pacific nature. Mr. Lowe replied, "I should think so, coming from a person of Mr. Macdermott's station in society, and knowing as you must do that he came to this colony as a sergeant in a marching regiment." The other said "that is no disgrace to him. He was born and bred a gentleman, and ranks as one now." "Oh," said Mr. Lowe, "You need not tell him what I said of him, I think sending this letter to me is a breach of the privileges of the House." On the return of my messenger of peace, he communicated to me the insolent conduct of Mr. Lowe, upon which, I sent for a man of war, who waited on Mr. Lowe with a message from me. Mr. L. asked the important question, "Do you know that Mr. Macdermott arrived in this colony as a sergeant in a marching regiment?" "Yes," said the Waterloo man, "and I arrived in this colony as a captain in a marching regiment, what do you say to that, Sir?" "Sir, Sir," said Mr. Lowe, "I claim my privilege as a member of the House, I am bound to keep the peace, quit my chambers ;" but the Captain did not quit, and Mr. Lowe ran out in a state of very great excitement. He was soon joined by the High Sheriff, and some other officers of State, who accompanied him to a magistrate, before whom he swore the Peace against me and my two friends, and we were accordingly bound to keep the peace, at the Police Office, before an audience who were as highly amused as if "Bob Acres" had appeared in person to prosecute.

The Attorney-General next appeared before the three Judges, in the Supreme Court, who told him his clients (the Legislative Council), had neither a "habitation nor a name" there, and so ended the great privilege farce of the Legislative Council of New South Wales.

Now comes the PERSECUTION. The Attorney-General again appeared before their Honors the three Judges, in his private capacity, as a barrister, on behalf of his client, Robert Lowe, to prosecute Henry Macdermott and others for challenging the said Robert Lowe to fight a duel, &c The Judges dismissed the case, and after remarking on the practice of duelling, said they thought "the justice of the case would be met by leaving both parties to pay their own costs, as neither party disclaimed the character of a duellist."

This seemingly just decision of the three Judges of the Supreme Court was defeated by the Legislative Council's privately paying Mr. Lowe's expenses out of the public Treasury, althought a petition, signed by above fifteen hundred citizens of Sydney, had been presented to the Governor, praying that he would not sanction such payment out of the public money.

A sense of equal justice induced me to ask the House to reimburse the expenses they had illegally subjected me to, as they had indemnified the instrument of their illegal proceedings against me. The House, through Mr. Windeyer, refused me, for these reasons, viz. :—

1st. Because, "If the case had been taken to the Police Office, Mr. Macdermott would probably before this have been fined and imprisoned ; but he, (Mr. Windeyer), had thought that the House had gone far enough in what it had done to deter others from such offences, and that what it had cost Mr. Macdermott would perhaps serve as a warning to him."

2nd. "That it should not be allowed to go down on record to posterity, that there was an Alderman Macdermott so powerful as to defeat a prosecution conducted by the Attorney-General."

3rd. "That it would be scandalous to expend the public money in paying the expenses of a man who had chosen to send a threatening letter to a member of the House, and had been *prosecuted* for it."

4th. Because he, (Mr. Windeyer), "Would protect the public against Mr. Macdermott, or any one else that might attempt to invade its rights."

As to the first reason. If the case had gone to the Police Office, and I had been committed for trial, a jury of my country would have determined on my guilt or innocence, and if found guilty, a Court legally constituted would have awarded my punishment according to law ; but as to the House having gone far enough to deter others, &c., what right had the House to move in the matter after the first decision of the Supreme Court? The conduct of the House in this respect is indeed enough to deter timid men, and might frighten many persons to give up their civil rights rather than be *ruined*. But sooner than surrender the least of my civil rights to the House, or to any of its members, I would not only forfeit the whole of my property, but my life into the bargain. I am not a timid man. I have a stout heart and an active arm, ready to defend a right or to redress a wrong, whether the aggressor be a member of the Legislature, or a ruffian of any other stamp.

With regard to the second reason, the facts speak for themselves. *It must go down on record to posterity that there was an Alderman Macdermott who defeated an attempt of the first Legislative Council of New South Wales to play the tyrants*, and that the said Alderman Macdermott (though not at a great expense) put the question beyond a doubt, that if in future any member of the House shall presume to indulge in foul language against any citizen, the House at all events has no power to protect him from such chastisement as his conduct may merit, and there is no doubt posterity will do justice to the memory of the man whose firmness settled such an important question.

The third reason has been well answered by the *Weekly Register* of last Saturday, to whom I refer the reader.*

4th. Mr. Windeyer's mock patriotism in protecting the public against me is easily accounted for. There were two other petitions for money before the House on the same evening as mine, one before and one after ; but it does not appear that Mr. Windeyer was in his place when either was discussed. Both were granted. Where was the patriotic protection of the public purse then? Can any one guess the reason of his absence? If his absence on the two occasions I have here alluded to cannot be accounted for, I will endeavour to account for his presence in my case.

About four or five years ago, the Mutual Fire Insurance Company was formed. I became a member, and eventually a director in that Company. Mr. Windeyer was standing counsel to the Company. His brother-in-law was the solicitor, and his cousin was the actuary of it. At one of the periodical settlements it was discovered that a hundred guinea fee had been given to Mr. Windeyer for perusing the Company's Deed of Copartnership, which had cost ten or twelve guineas for drawing ; and that subsequently a fee of about ten guineas had been given to the Attorney-General, to whom the deed was obliged to be sent for perusal also. The fee to Mr. Windeyer seemed to me so enormous, and so unnecessary, that I instituted an enquiry into the matter, which ended in a letter having been sent to the solicitor, stating that his services were no longer required, the disavowal by the directors of *any* standing counsel, and subsequently the resignation of the actuary. Since that time Mr. Windeyer has a lively recollection of me. For, whether he be bursting with patriotism in the senate of his adopted country, or declaiming to his constituents in remote Durham, my name haunts his excited imagination ; nay, more, in addressing a jury in the Supreme Court lately, I was his text-book ; and it is said that the Windeyer nursery is kept in order by the terror of my name.

I have necessarily extended this communication beyond the usual limits of a letter, and shall now conclude by noticing Mr. Windeyer's question, "Why the Attorney-General and other members had not joined him in the debate?" to which I reply by asking Mr. W. if he has yet to learn why a well-dressed man does not choose to rub skirts with a chimney-sweep?

I am, &c.,
H. MACDERMOTT.

Sydney, October 9.

* THE "PRIVILEGE" AFFAIR.—As might have been expected, a majority of the Legislative Council have refused to vote a sum of money to remunerate Alderman Macdermott for the law expenses that they unjustly imposed upon him, in his disgracefully foolish prosecution. Their organ, Mr. Windeyer, thought "it would be scandalous to expend the public money in paying the expenses of a man who had chosen to send a threatening letter to a member of the House." But there was, in his estimation, nothing scandalous in expending the public money in bringing that member into Court with dirty hands, and in paying *his* expenses when in due course of law he was turned out of it. It would be "scandalous" to indemnify the injured party, but it was honourable to hand over our £300 or £400 to the foul-tongued libeller, who insulted him. Such is the code of honour in Macquarie-street. Such the *protection for the public purse*. We trust, however, that there is yet spirit enough among the citizens of Sydney to mark their sense of this code, and this protection, as well as to indemnify the spirited individual who first taught honorable members that they were not privileged to libel their constituents, and then punish them summarily for resenting the outrage.

To the Editors of the Sydney Morning Herald.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your correspondent on the subject of the proposed new line of road from Campbelltown to Myrtle Creek, who writes under the signature of "Pons," allow me to inform him, and all those who are of the same mind as himself, that I had two motives for not attending the meeting held at Hurley's Hotel, viz., First, upon all my poor endeavours to further the object which this meeting had in view, cold water has been thrown by those who ought most warmly to have espoused the cause ; and, secondly, I abstained from attending, fearing I might cause a dissension amongst the principal movers, for if I had been there, I should, before proceeding to business, have moved, that the former petition to the Council upon the same subject, with all its signatures, should be laid before those present, and that an inquiry should be instituted touching the sudden disappearance of that petition, and if on investigation it were found that its death occurred from strangulation, who were the chief perpetrators of the deed, this would in all probability have caused a rupture which I would most studiously have avoided. As I shall be at Wollongong on the day proposed for the meeting on this subject, I may therefore be allowed to say, that I am of the same opinion with your correspondent, in thinking that the people of Campbelltown should agree to no half measures. I will willingly do my part towards carrying out the object in view, and have but little doubt that the work might be accomplished by shares, upon the plan of the Road Trusts in England.

With many apologies for thus trespassing upon your time and space,

I am, Gentlemen,
Yours, truly,
CHARLES BECK.

Campbelltown, October 7.

To the Editors of the Sydney Morning Herald.

GENTLEMEN,—As I am well aware that you are advocates for fair play to all classes of the people, may I ask, through the medium of your widely circulated journal, whether it is required by law or otherwise, that clerks to the various benches of magistrates throughout the colony, are justified in putting the question to a witness after he is sworn, *whether he is free or bond*, and entering the same on the deposition, as in many instances the clerk is aware of that circumstance. I beg to observe, gentlemen, that in a case of the above nature, an odium is thus thrown on the character of the witness, and hurtful to his feelings. My motive in thus addressing you, is to draw the attention of the Bench at Singleton to this practice adopted by their clerk, as it is his general practice to put that question to witnesses, at the same time well knowing their situation in this particular. I trust the Bench at Singleton will see the necessity of putting a stop to this practice of their clerk, in unnecessarily wounding the feelings of respectable persons who are called upon to give their testimony.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your most obedient servant.
A CONSTANT READER.

Sydney, October 5.

[The Clerk of the Bench has no right to put such a question. it is merely a remnant of the old convict system, and ought to be discontinued.—EDS.]

To the Editors of the Sydney Morning Herald.

GENTLEMEN,—Understanding that your Reporter at Brisbane is likely to furnish you with a statement made at our Police Office, Brisbane Town, by some of the Coolies employed at Tent Hill, I hope you will allow me as the solicitor for the defendants, the privilege of saying a few words on the subject of the absurd charges made. My firm belief is that the cases were fabricated, and that the men have been tampered with in consequence of the scarcity of labour in the district The assaults were stated to have taken place *four months ago* ; and Mr. Sandeman assures me that no complaints was made to him of any ill treatment during the time he was on the station, a period of four months. Mr. Sandeman went to the station with the people, but left it six weeks ago on business ; and during his absence these charges have been concocted. There is generally such a morbid taste prevails for the wonderful, that it is almost a pity to spoil it.

I am gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
T. ADAMS.

Sydney, October 9.

BIRTH.

On Monday, the 22nd September, Mrs. Joseph Williams, of George-street South, of a son.

DEATH.

At Camperdown, on Wednesday, 8th October, Lewis, only son of W. A. Duncan, Esq., aged eleven years and nine months.

TO JACOB NEWTON, OF WILLIAM'S RIVER, NEAR RAYMOND TERRACE, HUNTER'S RIVER, IN THE COLONY OF NEW SOUTH WALES, FARMER, AND TO ALL OTHER PERSONS CONCERNED.

TAKE NOTICE, that after the expiration of one month from the publication of this notice, it is the intention of Mary Ann Healy, of Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, widow, administratrix of the goods, chattels, credits, and effects, of Edmond Healy, late of the same place, publican, deceased, to exercise the power of sale in that behalf contained in a certain indenture of mortgage, bearing date the thirtieth day of January, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, and made between you the said Jacob Newton of the one part, and the said Edmond Healy, deceased, of the other part ; whereby four hundred and sixty acres of land in the county of Durham, and township of Eldon, in the said colony, in the said indenture more particularly mentioned and described, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, were granted and assigned unto the said Edmond Healy, his executors, administrators, and assigns, to secure the payment of the sum of two hundred pounds, with interest thereon, after the rate and in the parts, shares, and proportions, and at or on the days or times, and in manner in the said indenture mentioned and appointed, for payment thereof, respectively.—Dated at Sydney, this sixth day of October, 1845.

JOHN DILLON,
10, York-street, Sydney,
Solicitor for said
5375 MARY ANN HEALY.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

WE have this day appointed Mr. Andrew Maclean, of No. 318, Pitt-street, Sydney, our sole agent for the disposal of butter, the produce of the Camden Dairy.

JAMES AND WM. MACARTHUR.
Camden, 6th October. 5220

SUPREME COURT.
NOTICE.

THE Jury summoned for the 10th instant will not be required, and need not attend.

ADOLPHUS WILLIAM YOUNG,
Sheriff.
Court House, Darlinghurst,
October 9. 5358

I, ROBERT ROBERTS, hereby caution the public against purchasing of John Whitaker, or Eliza his wife, part of an allotment of land in the township of Braidwood, belonging to me ; as I hereby revoke my former promise of gift to them.

His
ROBERT X ROBERTS.
Mark.
Braidwood, October 6. 5323

I HEREBY caution the public not to give credit on any account to my Wife Catherine Norris, or Dunworth, as I will not be answerable for any debts she may contract.

WILLIAM DUNWORTH,
Lachlan River.
October 1. 5324

TRINITY SCHOOL HOUSE.

TENDERS will be received until noon of Thursday, the 23rd instant, for the erection of the above building, in Fort-street. The plans and specification to be seen at the office of

HENRY GINN,
Architect.
Cumberland-place, October 8.

Subscriptions to the Trinity School Fund may be paid in to the Bank of Australasia, and will be duly acknowledged. 5273

£1,800

ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED POUNDS wanted, on extensive freehold property in the central part of the City of Sydney. For particulars apply to George Allen, Esq., Solicitor, Elizabeth-street. 5357

WANTED TO PURCHASE.

A RUN to carry 15,000 Sheep, and another to carry 2000 Cattle : they must be in the districts of Liverpool Plains or New England.

Apply at the *Herald* Office. 5281

WANTED TO PURCHASE or hire, for a short time, at a reasonable rate, a Tent capable of accommodating five or six gentlemen. Address W. M , *Herald* Office. 5322

WANTED AN INVESTMENT.

A GENTLEMAN wishing to invest about £2000 in either a good station with improvements, and stocked with sound sheep or cattle, or in a small landed property, with or without stock thereon, but having a good run contiguous thereto, will receive offers during the next six days from this date, containing full particulars and terms, addressed (post paid) to A. B., care of Messrs. Stenhouse and Hardy, solicitor, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

October 10. 5329

WANTED a House, (to rent,) furnished if possible, either at the North Shore, Balmain, or within a few miles of Sydney. Letters addressed (post paid) to

MR. ALDIS,
5210 Tobacco Merchant, Sydney.

MARBLE CHIMNEY-PIECE WANTED. STATUARY preferred. Apply to

E. HUNT,
5314 Jamison-street.

THE CUMBERLAND RAG.

WANTED forthwith, to write libellous rhymes,
And print the "flash rag" yclept *Cumberland Times*,
A man versed in slander and Police report punning—
No stickler for truth, but the pink of low cunning—
No friend of religion or biblical knowledge
Nor teacher of morals, nor student from college,—
But the friend of detractors, Jim, Harry, and Jack,
To blurt forth their gall as their paid menial hack :
Then haste flash reporters, the prize you may hit,
If train'd in the *slang of obscene low-bred wit* ;—
None else need apply to be old "BAILEY's fag—
And obtain the *pure* pay of the Cumberland Rag ! 5349

CLERK WANTED.

HE must write a neat and expeditious hand, and have a good knowledge of accounts. Apply E. E. E., at the *Herald* Office. 5364

TO LET,

THE very excellent Property known as the "Dunn's Plains Estate," containing 7900 acres of grazing and agricultural land, 20 miles only from the town of Bathurst.

A good gentlemanly cottage and premises, 120 acres in crop of wheat, oats, and barley, with or without 280 cows.

For further particulars apply to William Bowman, Esq , M.C., at Richmond ; at the Mart, King-street, Sydney ; or, to Mr. Superintendent Somerville, on the estate. 206

TO PARENTS AND GUARDIANS.

WANTED, an Apprentice to the Engraving Printing and Stationery business. Apply to

J. T. AND A. GROCOTT,
Phœnix Printing Office,
476, George-street,
Opposite the Barrack Wall. 5125

WANTED, to proceed to the country, a respectable young English woman, who understands the management of an infant—a character required. Apply at No. 7, Lyons-terrace. 5133

WANTED, a Man to cook and wait at table ; and a woman, as Housemaid and Laundress. A man and his wife would be preferred.

Apply to
ROBERT HOW,
5332 Lower George-street.

WANTED, an active man as Cook ; one who thoroughly understands his business. Apply at the City Wine Vaults, George-street.

M. GILL.
October 10. 5371

WANTED, a respectable middle-aged Englishwoman, as general servant, to go into the interior. Good characters will be required with the applicants Apply to Mr. J. Hood, corner of Castlereagh and Hunter streets. 5356

WANTED, a man servant that can cook, and otherwise make himself useful about a house A good character from his last place will be absolutely necessary. Enquire at Mr. John Isaces, Lower George-street.

October 9. 5348

WANTED, by a respectable Widow Woman, a situation as housekeeper to a single gentleman, or to take charge of children. Apply by letter, to A. P., *Herald* Office. 5346

THE FRIENDS of a Young Lady who has been accustomed to tuition, are desirous of placing her in a pious family to take charge of and educate two or three children. Letters addressed, post paid, to S. E. D., care of Mrs. Ross, near the Sydney College, Hyde Park, will be attended to. 5321

WANTED, a situation as Sheep or Cattle Overseer, by a person who has filled a similar situation in the colony, and can produce a good character. His wife is also fully competent to take the management of a dairy.

The advertiser would be glad to take sheep on halves. Address by letter, to F. C., *Herald* Office. 5137

WANTED, a situation, by a young Man as Superintendent or Overseer of a Dairy or Agricultural Farm, who has had thirteen years' experience in that line in the colony. The most satisfactory references can be given. Letters addressed A.B , Newcastle, post-paid, will be punctually attended to. 5140

£5 REWARD.

WHEREAS, a filly of the underwritten description, was stolen from the paddock of the undersigned, at Meroo, on or about the 18th ultimo. The above reward will be paid for the recovery of the filly or on conviction of the offenders. A bright bay filly, 2 years old, branded B (TB) on the near shoulder and under the saddle, white star on forehead.

THOMAS BEST.
Meroo, October 3. 5342

STOLEN OR STRAYED, on the 6th instant, from Mrs. Fisher's Paddock, near Castlereagh, a white Horse, branded W on the near shoulder, stands about fourteen hands.

If strayed, a reward of £1 ; if stolen, a reward of £3, on conviction of the parties.

ELIZABETH FISHER,
5328 Nepean.

TO LET, those eligible business premises in George-street, opposite the Market-place, and adjoining the Stores of Mr. Macdermott. Rent moderate. Apply to

H. MACDERMOTT,
W. MOFFITT,
Executors of the late Mr. Richard Brownlow.
5271

TO BE LET, the Stores and Wharf, Sydney Cove, presently occupied by Mr. A. Wilson, who will show the premises between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. For particulars apply at the Office of Mr. Morehead, O'Connell-street. 2824

TO BE LET, with immediate possession, an excellent Office, and a very commodious Store. Apply at 555, George-street. 3398

TO BE LET.

THE large and commodious house and premises, in Macquarie-place, at present occupied by the Australian Subscription Library, will be vacant on the first proximo ; these premises will therefore be let on reasonable terms, but a preference will be given to parties wishing to occupy the house as offices.

Proposals will be received by Mrs. Reibey, at her residence, Pensilville, Newtown ; or, by Captain Innes, Cottage, Carter's Barracks, Sydney, October 3. 5010

TO AGRICULTURISTS.

TO BE LET ON LEASE, two Farms of forty acres each, situate on the Nepean River, about two miles from Penrith.

These farms are securely fenced, have good shingled cottages erected thereon, and will be let to respectable tenants on liberal terms. For further particulars apply on the premises, at Mount Pleasant, near Penrith. 8037

TO LET, AT LIVERPOOL.

THE property called DRUMMOND COTTAGE, late the residence of Judge Kinchela. The house contains dining-room, drawing-room, and six bed-rooms, and attached are kitchen, washhouse, stable, coach-house, &c., &c. There is a good garden, also an orchard ; and the Farm consists of about eighty acres, mostly cultivated land. To a desirable tenant the rent will be moderate, and the premises will be put into thorough repair. Apply to

JOHN TAYLOR,
9, Charlotte-place,
2922 Sydney.

TO BE LET,
FOR A TERM OF YEARS,

THOSE valuable Estates, MUMMELL and PEJAR, near Goulburn, containing upwards of 13,000 acres of the finest agricultural and grazing lands in the district of Argyle.

On Mummell is erected a most comfortable and well arranged dwelling-house, of twelve rooms, a good kitchen and servants' room, a large barn, cottages for farm servants, stabling, &c. The whole built of stone and brick.

There is enclosed a good garden, well stocked with fruit trees, and paddocks for cultivation ; they contain at present sixty acres of lucerne, twenty five acres of wheat, and about ten acres of barley.

A grazing meadow, well watered and strongly fenced in, and divided, containing 1000 acres ; and about 6000 acres are nearly enclosed on the bank of the Wollondilly River. The whole is good fattening land, and will carry from 8000 to 10,000 sheep ; or a corresponding number of cattle and horses.

Rent moderate. For particulars apply to Mr. Thomas Barker, Steam Mills, Sussex-street. 4748

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SALES BY AUCTION.

To Commission Merchants, Exporters of Wool, Agents, and Gentlemen desirous of purchasing a few distinguished FLOCKS of very superior fine woolled sound beautiful Sheep, with heavy fleeces on their backs.

As per Returns, just arrived from Bathurst, viz.:

Flock No. 1, M'Namara, shepherd.
700 beautiful ewes, 3 years old
195 „ maiden ditto

Total 895 heavy fleeces

Flock No. 2, Williams, shepherd.
707 beautiful ewes, 3, 4, and 5 years old, and upwards
200 wethers, 1 to 3 years old

Total 907 heavy fleeces

Flock No. 3, Kerman, shepherd.
Total 745 ewes, now lambing—a beautiful flock, 3, 4, and 5 years old, and upwards, with heavy fleeces
Flock No. 4, David Phelp, shepherd.
620 ewes, beautiful quality, 4 years old
200 yearling wethers

Total 820

Flock No. 5, Brown, shepherd.
700 beautiful maiden ewes } very fine
213 wethers } wool

Total 913

Flock No. 6, Cassen, shepherd.
827 wethers, 3, 4, and 5 years old, 12 rams amongst them

Total 827

Grand total, 5107, more or less.

MR. STUBBS is favoured with instructions to sell by public auction,

THIS DAY, 10TH OCTOBER, 1845,
At the Mart, King street
Precisely at Twelve o'clock,

The whole of the above heavy fleeced flocks of Sheep, selected and classified from those o Roger Murphy, Esq., and are now running at Ballyroo, about 60 miles from Bathurst, where they may be inspected previous to (and where they may remain for six months from) the day of sale.

They can be recommended to buyers upon a guarantee and warrantry of their highly improved character, sound, clean, and free from any disease whatever, and have always been so, that the fleeces are of unusual weight, the average of last season being, (as stated by the overseer) about 2½lbs. each, so that the buyer at this sale (if they all go in one lot) may reasonably calculate upon an immediate clip of

55 BALES WOOL,

yielding him, in the proceeds thereof, a large proportion and return of his original capital, and encourage him in the pursuit and growth of so much more, as will ultimately enable him to retire with a

HANDSOME FORTUNE.

Terms.—Twenty-five per cent. deposit, and the residue of the purchase money to be paid on the delivery of the Sheep, which is fixed for the 25th day of October instant.

☞ The Sale will commence at twelve o'clock precisely. 5033

FOR SATURDAY'S SALE.

HARNESS AND A LITTLE SADLERY.

MR. STUBBS will sell by public auction, on

SATURDAY, 11TH OCTOBER,
At 11 o'clock precisely, at the Mart, King-street,

WITHOUT RESERVE,

1 Gentleman's Hunting Saddle
1 Ditto ditto ditto
1 Ditto ditto ditto
1 Ditto ditto ditto
1 Ditto ditto ditto
1 Ditto ditto ditto
One set superior Gig Harness.

Terms—Cash. 5339

BOOKS.

MR. W. G. MOORE

IS instructed to sell, THIS EVENING, at his Mart, Pitt-street,

ABOUT

100 Volumes of Books.

Terms—Cash. 5380

DEAL PLANKS.

MR. MORT

Will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, George-street,

THIS DAY, THE 10TH OCTOBER,
At eleven o'clock,

3600 FEET DEAL PLANKS, planed, tongued, and grooved

Terms at sale. 5369

HOOP IRON.

MR. MORT

Will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, George-street,

THIS DAY, THE 10TH OCTOBER,
At eleven o'clock,

107 BUNDLES Hoop Iron, assorted sizes, slightly damaged.

Terms at sale. 5370

SPARE KEYS.

MR. MORT

Will sell by public auc ion, at his Rooms, George-street,

THIS DAY, 10TH OCTOBER,
At eleven o'clock,

111 DOZEN 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12 inch iron rim lock keys
40 dozen assorted mortice lock keys
12 gross cabinet keys

Terms at Sale. 5371

FINE FLOUR.

MR. MORT

Will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, George-street,

THIS DAY, THE 10TH OCTOBER,
At Eleven o'clock,

31 BAGS 6000 lbs., FINE FLOUR.

Terms at sale. 5372

IRONMONGERY, CUTLERY, &c.

MR. MORT

Will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, George-street,

THIS DAY, 10TH OCTOBER,
At eleven o'clock precisely,

ONE CASK HARDWARE, comprising—
Halter chains, hoes, box irons, heaters, men's lasts, glaziers' hacks, putty knives.
One case cutlery, consisting of
Office knives, pen and pocket knives, farriers' knives, boot hooks, table knives and forks, butchers' knives, steels, snuffers, tea and table spoons, stag carvers, &c.

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

Terms at Sale. 5373

PATENT SCYTHES.

MR. MORT

Will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, George-street,

THIS DAY, 10TH OCTOBER,
At eleven o'clock,

C in diamond—
FOUR DOZEN 42 inch patent scythe blades
Two dozen 40 inch ditto
Four dozen scythe sneads, with handles complete.

Terms at sale. 5368

PORK AND BEEF.

MR. MORT

Will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, George-street,

THIS DAY, 10TH OCTOBER,
At eleven o'clock,

ONE Ton Colonial cured Pork
Five casks salted Beef.

Terms at sale. 5366

FLOUR SACKS, THREE-BUSHEL BAGS, AND SHERRY WINE.

MR. MORT

Will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, George-street,

THIS DAY, 10TH OCTOBER,
At twelve o'clock,

60 DOZEN Three-bushel Bags
270 Dozen striped flour sacks, to hold 200 lbs.

ALSO,

25 Cases very fine sherry.

Terms at sale. 5365

MARSALA WINE.

Just landed ex Hindoo, Beard, from Liverpool, direct from the House of Messrs. Woodhouse and Co.

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

MR. MORT

Will sell by Public Auction, at his Rooms, George-street, on

TUESDAY, 14TH OCTOBER,
At 12 o'clock.

5 PIPES MARSALA WINE, brand "Woodhouse and Co."
50 Hogsheads, ditto ditto ditto
19 Quarter-casks, ditto ditto ditto.

Terms liberal—at sale. 5367

DAMAGED CHECKS, CHAMBRAYS, &c.

On account of whom it may concern, ex "Mary and Ann," Whiteway, Master, from Liverpool.

MR. CHARLES NEWTON

WILL sell by public auction, at his Rooms, Pitt-street,

THIS DAY, THE 10TH INSTANT,
At half-past ten o'clock precisely,

R 45	36	27 pieces	apron checks
„	35	40 „	„ „
S 45	178	5 „	chambrays
R 45	16	53 „	grey domestics
„	20	29 „	72 inch ditto
„	99	22 „	30 „ ditto
„	28	26 „	72 „ ditto
„	70	28 „	shirting stripes
„	109	12 „	grey domestics
„	101	4 „	jean stripes
S 45	125	17 „	36-inch grey domestics
„	81	43 „	light plates
„	170	15 „	apron checks

All more or less damaged by sea water.

Terms—Cash. 5313

TO SHOEMAKERS.

ELEVEN TRUNKS OF LONDON-MADE SHOES.

MR. CHARLES NEWTON

WILL sell by public auction, at his rooms, Pitt-street,

THIS DAY, THE 10TH INSTANT,
At 11 o'clock precisely,

Trunk § 1.— 46 Pairs stockmen's boots
„ § 2.— 95 „ gents' stout walking shoes
„ § 3.— 82 Pairs gents' stout walking shoes
„ § 4.— 87 Pairs ladies' Adelaide boots
„ § 5.—120 Pairs gents' half dress shoes
„ § 6.—120 „ gents' and youths' half dress shoes and pumps
„ § 7.— 28 Pairs ladies' shoes
24 „ „ cloth boots
„ § 8.— 30 „ stout walking shoes
30 „ Albert and Blucher boots
„ § 9.—120 Pairs ladies' lasting slippers, double stitched
„ §10.— 96 Pairs ladies' cordovan shoes
§11.—144 „ children's shoes.

Terms at sale. 5202

Rich Black Ducapes, Black and Coloured Satinets, Satins, Ribbons, Gloves, Flowers, and Lace Goods.

MR. CHARLES NEWTON

HAS received instructions from the importer to submit to public competition, at his Rooms, Pitt-street,

THIS DAY, 10TH OCTOBER,
At Eleven o'clock precisely,

The undermentioned choice goods:—

One case of the most splendid satinets, in blacks, colors, and white, ever offered in the market
One case of very superior black double ducapes, baratheas, armures, moires, modes, Ottoman, lâventines, and gros de Tours: many of these goods are suitable for scarfs
One case coloured ducapes, of the most prevailing shades, and superior qualities
One case superior French flowers
One case French bonnet ribbons, consisting of rich figured satins, lutestrings, and guases
One case 12d. to 16d. rich cut gauzes
One case plain, black, and coloured lutestring and satin ribbons
One case handsome parasols
One case superfine French stays
One case ladies' night caps, trimmed
One case rich black, satin, mode, and armozine stocks
One case, containing black crape babies' hats and bonnets, long and short robes, toilette covers
One case assorted lace goods
One case 10-4 fine white sheeting calico
One case Horrock's, Miller, and Co.'s, longcloths
One case superior ready-made summer clothing, consisting of men's and boys' white moleskin and drill trousers and jackets, holland blouses, Valencia vests, jean and holland coats, &c.
One case 8-4 piece damasks, brown and white
One case of W. B. threads, Nos. 22 and 25.

Mr. N. feels assured that every draper in Sydney will embrace this rare opportunity of laying in a supply of these goods, as they really are of undoubted quality, having been selected in London by a person well acquainted with this market, at a time when silks were fully 20 per cent. cheaper than at present. Bargains may, therefore, be anticipated, as they will be sold without the least reserve.

Terms, liberal. 5200

MR. ISAAC WALKER'S STOCK,

IMPORTANT AND UNRESERVED SALE OF DRAPERY.

ON FRIDAY, 10TH OCTOBER,

MR. CHARLES NEWTON has received instructions from Mr. Isaac Walker to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, Pitt-street,

THIS DAY, THE 10TH INSTANT,
at eleven o'clock forenoon,

The whole of his valuable Stock of Drapery, &c., &c.

CONSISTING OF—

Rich silks, satins, and satinets
Coloured and black silk velvets
Satin and velvet waistcoating
Rich black and coloured silk handkerchiefs
Fancy scarfs and shawls
Balzorine, de laine, and crape de Pekin dresses
An immense assortment of plain satin and lutestring ribbons
A beautiful lot of bonnet ribbons
A great variety of haberdashery, hosiery, and gloves
A choice lot of lace goods, lately received from Fisher and Co., of London, consisting of real thread, Valenciennes, Lisle, bloud, and plait laces, capes, cardinals, pelerines, collars, &c., &c., quite new
The usual assortment of Calicos, Prints, Muslins, Flannels, Linens, Lawns, Merinos, Flowers, Turnovers, Scarfs, Robes, Frocks, Parasols, Crapes, &c., &c., &c.

Mr. Newton calls the attention of the trade and buyers generally to the Stock of rich Silks, Satinets, and Satins, which are of the very best description and of the most choice colours, and the whole must be sold without the least reserve, in consequence of Mr. Walker's lease of the premises expiring on Saturday next.

TERMS:—

£30, cash; above that sum, an approved endorsed bill at three months. 5185

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THREE PACKAGES OF DRY GOODS.

TWO DAYS' SALE.

MR. CHARLES NEWTON

IS instructed by Messrs. Rowand, Macnab, and Co, to sell by public auction, at their Stores, at the Circular Wharf, on

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, THE 15TH AND 16TH INSTANT,

Each day at half-past 10 o'clock precisely,

That portion of their late extensive importation more particularly adapted for the summer season, consisting of one hundred and thirty-three packages, and comprising almost every article at present in demand, viz.:—

Rich Belzorine dresses, latest fashion
Rich figured bonnet ribbons, satin and lutestring
Ditto French gauze and satin cap ribbons
Ditto satin and sarsnet ribbons
Ditto brown silk and satin fancy parasols
Ditto black satin shawls and scarfs
Ditto coloured ditto ditto „ ditto
Ditto M. de Laines, newest styles
Ditto Foulards, Organdies, and crape checks
Fine self coloured M. de Laines
Ditto small checked and spots ditto
Ditto ditto ditto Earleston ginghams
Gents' rich satin, ducape, and Brussels handkerchiefs
Rich French satin and Indiana shawls
Ladies' fancy handkerchiefs, newest fabrics
Rich summer cambric prints, latest designs
Hoyle's and French union plates
5-8 and 7-8 superfine long lawns
Fine long lawn and cambric handkerchiefs
Blond gauze veils, scarfs, and handkerchiefs
Superior bleached linen military drills
Ditto ditto ditto navy duck
3-4 to 8-4 linen diapers and damasks
Fine Irish linens and huckabacks
Rich chintz printed muslin dresses
Ladies' tucked muslin robes, quite new
Ditto white dress checked muslins
Book, jaconet, mull, and cambric muslins
Coloured and white rolled jaconets
Chintz furniture prints and linings
Ladies' rich white and black silk hose
Women's white cotton hose
Children's white and coloured socks
9-4, 10-4, and 11-4 bleached diaper rugs
Superior white moleskins and cantoons
Ditto light drab moleskins
36 and 38 stout blue chambrays
Ditto ditto Bengal stripes
Gents' fine longcloth shirts, linen fronts, collars, and wrists
4-4 to 8-4 printed lama shawls
Ladies' fancy dresses, latest fabrics and designs
Women's black cotton and Cashmere hose
Summer prints in every variety
36 inch fine white longcloth
White and black reel cotton
Assorted haberdashery, consisting of pins, needles, cotton and linen tapes, hooks and eyes, silk doubles, silk galloons, cotton cords, bobbins, &c, &c.
Ladies tarlatan and figured muslin dresses
White harness and bordered window muslins
Turkey red and madder printed cotton handkerchiefs
36 and 38 inch Scotch tweed shirting stripes
Ditto ditto stout apron checks
8-4 Stout bleached cotton sheeting
8-4 Ditto grey ditto ditto
9-8 Fine white super shirting
30 to 40 inch grey domestics
Assorted cotton bed tick
Extra fine white quilts and counterpanes
4-4 Rough brown Hollands, assorted
4-4 Dressed ditto ditto, ditto
8-4 Bleached union diapers
8-4 to 16-4 Damask linen table cloths
30 to 36 inch white Wigan duck and sheeting
Bleached Window Hollands
78- and 9 8 Navy blue and yellow prints
Ditto ditto 2 blues ditto
Ditto ditto blue and white ditto
Striped Stockport shirts
Men's blue and scarlet serge shirts
Ditto stout Florentine shirts
Ditto superior regatta shirts
Green, amber, and white Lenos
Assorted Manchester cotton sheets
Men's white, brown, and marbled cotton half hose
Rich printed India silk corahs
Indiana bordered shawls and handkerchiefs
Men's India-rubber and cotton braces
Fine white watertwist shirting
Bleached Russia towelling and sheeting
Gents' rich printed silk scarfs
Brocade and lace figured checked muslins
Ayrshire needlework, consisting of long and short robes, collars, Cardinals, Canezous, habit shirts, &c.
Rich printed gauze dresses
Bleached linen dowlas and brown duck
Rich striped cashmere shawls
Striped, book, and lappet muslins
Gents' summer Leghorn hats
Ditto superfine drab stuff ditto
Children's assorted worsted boots
Ladies' netted worsted shawls
Ditto French printed cashmere long shawls
Rich spun corahs and chally scarfs
10-4 Medium coloured counterpanes
Men's white and striped worsted shirts
6-4 Printed Coburg cloth
Ladies' printed and worked cambric handkerchiefs
Fine chintz dahlia fancies
Stenaxyle reel cotton, 100, 200, and 300 yards
Rich Cheni Chusan dresses, new styles
Fine lavender bordered Indian shawls
Rich oriental black scarfs
Black mousseline de laines and barege

Mr. Newton would particularly call the attention of linen drapers, both in town and country, to the above sale. The goods were ordered specially for this market, and are allowed to be a beautiful assortment; and such an opportunity for laying in a complete stock for the ensuing summer, may not again occur.

Terms at sale. 5312

Playing Cards, and Drab Shell Hats.

MR. CHARLES NEWTON will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, Pitt-street,

THIS DAY, 10TH OCTOBER.
At eleven o'clock precisely,

One case containing fifty-seven dozen white and colored back playing cards
Two cases containing drab shell hats, low crowns and broad brims.

Terms at sale. 5203

RICHARD HALLETT AND SONS SLOPS.

MR. CHARLES NEWTON

HAS received instructions to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, Pitt-street,

THIS DAY, THE 10TH INSTANT,
At 11 o'clock precisely,

Ten cases of Richard Hallet and Sons' slops, as under—

2 cases superior drab moleskin trousers
1 ditto ditto white ditto ditto
1 ditto blue cloth jackets, rolling collars
1 ditto very superior regatta shirts
2 bales extra stout and large 5-4 stripe cotton shirts
1 bale indigo blue serge shirts
1 case white shirts, linen collars and fronts
1 case cassimere trousers, assorted in drabs blacks, and blues

Terms at sale. 5201

TO OILMEN, DEALERS, AND OTHERS.

MR. BLACKMAN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 489, George-street, on

SATURDAY, THE 11TH INSTANT,
At 11 o'clock,

2 Cases Brushware, consisting of, viz.:—Hearth, japanned, and common bannister, duster, flat shoe and rack, hair and clothes brushes, assoretd, broom and mop heads assorted, &c.

Terms at sale. 5284

SUPERIOR SECOND HAND PIANOFORTE AND DINING TABLE.

MR. BLACKMAN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 489, George-street,

ON SATURDAY, THE 11TH INSTANT,
At eleven o'clock,

One second hand cottage pianoforte
One telescope dining table.

Terms—Cash. 5360

SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, CHINA, GLASS, &c. BRILLIANT TONED PIANOFORTE, &c., &c.

MR. BLACKMAN has been favoured with instructions from Mrs. BUTLER, (in consequence of her intended departure for Europe) to sell by public auction, at her residence, MACQUARIE-PLACE, on

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, THE 15TH AND 16TH INSTANT,

To commence at eleven o'clock each day precisely.

SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, CHINA, GLASS, BOOKS, PIANOFORTE, &c., &c.,

CONSISTING OF—

Chairs, sofas, couches, sideboard, pictures, lamps, carpets, hearth rugs, fenders and fire irons, cheffoniers, dining table, card tables, loo tables, sofa tables, bedsteads, beds and mattresses, cutlery, china, and glass.

ALSO,

A first-rate superior toned PIANOFORTE, by a very eminent maker, with Metallic Plate, and other modern improvements.

PANTRY, KITCHEN, AND LAUNDRY FURNITURE AND UTENSILS.

N. B.—Catalogues will be prepared, and ready for distribution, on the morning of sale. 5361

VALUABLE FREEHOLD FARMS, VILLAGE OF GRESFORD.

And Allotments situate at the Allyn and Patterson Rivers.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

MR. BLACKMAN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 489, George-street, Sydney,

ON SATURDAY, THE 18TH INSTANT,
At 12 o'clock precisely,

LOT 6 ON PLAN.

Two hundred and four Acres of Land, more or less, opposite the village of Gresford, part of a Crown purchase of 820 acres; bounded on the west by lot 10; on the north-east boundaries of the 820 acres; on the south-west by the Paterson River.

LOT 7 ON PLAN.

Fifty Acres, more or less, opposite the village of Gresford, part of a Crown purchase of 820 acres; bounded on the south by lot 8; on the east by part of the eastern boundary of the 820 acres; on the north by lot 6; and on the west by the River Paterson.

LOT 8 ON PLAN.

Twenty five Acres, more or less, opposite the village of Gresford, part of a Crown purchase of 820 acres; bounded on the south by lot 9; on the east by a part of the eastern boundary of the 820 acres; on the north by lot 7; and on the west by the Paterson River.

LOT 9 ON PLAN.

Twenty-five Acres, more or less, opposite the village of Gresford, part of a Crown purchase of 820 acres; bounded on the south by the Glebe; on the east by a part of the eastern boundary of the 820 acres; on the north by lot 8; and on the west by the River Paterson.

LOT 10 ON PLAN.

Two hundred and twelve Acres, more or less, opposite the village of Gresford, part of a Crown purchase of 820 acres; bounded on the west by Fenwick's purchase; on the north by part of the northern boundary of the 820 acres; on the east by lot 6; and further on the east and on the south and west by the River Paterson

LOT 13 ON PLAN.

Three hundred and sixty-six Acres, more or less, part of Crown purchases of 685 acres and 760 acres; bounded on the west by part of the western boundary of 685 acres; on the north by a line east 85 chains, dividing it from lot 14; on the east by a part of the eastern boundary of the 685 acres, 40 chains; on the south by lot 4 of the former sale and the River Paterson.

LOT 14 ON PLAN.

Three hundred and forty-four Acres, more or less, part of a Crown purchase of 685 acres; bounded on the west by part of the western boundary of the 685 acres, north 40 chains; on the north by the northern boundary east 86 chains; on the east by part of the eastern boundary of 40 chains; on the south by lot 13, 36 chains.

LOT 15 ON PLAN.

Eight hundred and fifty-five Acres, more or less, a Crown purchase, commencing at the western extreme of the north boundary-line of a surveyed portion of 816 acres, &c.; bounded on the south by that boundary-line east 103 chains and 25 links; on the east by a line north 80 chains; on the north by a west line of 107 chains 60 links to the River Allyn, downwards to the western extreme of the north boundary-line of the aforesaid surveyed portion.

N.B—This portion is adjoining the property lately possessed by Messrs. Crander and Lyons.

LOT 11 AS PER PLAN.

One hundred and fifty-one Acres, more or less.

Terms at sale. 5221

CHINESE CRACKERS.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 490, George-street, near Hunter-street,

THIS DAY, 10TH OCTOBER,
At 11 o'clock, precisely,

Four cases Chinese crackers

Terms at sale. 5220

GENERAL SALE.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 490, George-street, near Hunter-street,

THIS DAY, OCTOBER 10, 1845,
At eleven o'clock precisely,

Ten casks soda
Ten casks bottled ale
Five quarter-casks sherry
Five casks beef
Five boxes soap
One set double harness
One set single harness
One case mens' shoes

ALSO,

One hundred and fifty bushels maize.

Terms at sale. 5224

MUTTON HAMS, TONGUES.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 490, George-street, near Hunter-street,

THIS DAY,
At eleven o'clock precisely,

130 Mutton Hams
1 Tierce Tongues.

Terms, Cash. 5359

FAMILY PHAETON.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 490, George-street, near Hunter-street,

THIS DAY, OCTOBER 10,
At 12 o'clock, precisely,

A very excellent four-wheeled family phaeton, adapted for town or country.

Terms at sale. 5222

26 PACKAGES PLAIN AND CUT GLASS.

MR. EDWARD SALAMON will sell by auction, at his Rooms, George-street,

ON MONDAY NEXT, OCTOBER 13TH,
At 11 o'clock,

9 Casks half pint tumblers, cut bottoms
3 Ditto best half pint ditto, cut, open flutes and bottoms
2 Ditto ditto TTB wines, cut open flutes and cut feet
6 Ditto ditto assorted cut wines
2 Ditto lamps obscured and chimneys
2 Ditto white vials
Cut decanters, finger glasses, coloured hock glasses, &c.

Terms at sale. 5378

FRIDAY, 10TH OCTOBER.

IN THE INSOLVENT ESTATES OF ROWLEY AND HUNT, AND JOHN HUNT, OF QUEANBEYAN.

BY ORDER OF THE OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at his Mart, corner of George-street and Charlotte-place,

THIS DAY, THE 10TH OCTOBER,
At Twelve o'clock,

The outstanding debts due to the Estate of Rowley and Hunt, of Queanbeyan.
The outstanding debts due to the Estate of John Hunt, of Queanbeyan.

Particulars of which will be made known at time of sale.

Terms—Cash. 4896

THIS DAY.

HANDSOME PHAETONS.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at his Mart, corner of George-street and Charlotte-place,

THIS DAY, (FRIDAY), 10TH OCTOBER,
At twelve o clock,

No. 1.—One very handsome light Phaeton, almost new, English built, patent axles, with mats complete, fit for either one or two horses
2.—One very handsome Cab, patent axles, for one or two horses
3.—One very strong two-horse Phaeton, Collinge's patent axles.

Terms at sale. 5343

MONDAY, 13TH OCTOBER.

IMPORTED ROAN BULL.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at his Mart, corner of George-street and Charlotte-place,

ON MONDAY, 13TH OCTOBER,
At eleven o'clock,

That celebrated Roan Bull, imported 1842, and formerly the property of Mr. James Crisp, of Doddington. His Pedigree marked in the catalogue of the sale of that gentleman's cattle, is as follows:—

Roan Bull, by Prince Eugene, 2463, dam, Fourth Princess, own sister to Third Princess, No. 3, by Snowball, 2647, g. d., Old Princess, No. 1, by St. Alban's, 1412, gr. g. d., Lawn Sleeves.

Prince Eugene, Herd Book, 2463, by Bachelor, dam, Young Princess, No. 2, by Young Lancaster, g. d., Old Princess, No. 1, by St. Alban's, gr. g. d. by Lawn Sleeves.

Fourth Princess, roan, ten years old, by Snowball, 2647, dam, Old Princess; No. 1, by St. Alban's, 1412, g. d., by Lawn Sleeves.

Old Princess, red and white, nineteen years old, by St. Alban's, 1412, dam by Lawn Sleeves, g. d., bred by Mr. Henderson, of Newtown, from the stock of Messrs. James, of Stamford.

The present proprietor's object in now parting with him, is solely for a change of blood.

Terms at sale.

☞ The bull may be seen at Mr. Armstrong's establishment. 5277

MONDAY, 13TH OCTOBER.

TWO BUILDING ALLOTMENTS IN GEORGE-STREET,

PART OF THE OLD BLACK SWAN PROPERTY.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at his Mart, corner of George-street and Charlotte-place, on

MONDAY, THE 13TH OCTOBER,
At 11 o'clock.

TWO ALLOTMENTS OF THE BLACK SWAN PROPERTY, being as per plan on view at the Mart:—

Lots 10 and 11, having each a frontage of eighteen feet to Swan-street, and a depth of fifty-four feet, more or less.

*** *These Allotments can be particularly recommended to the attention of persons wishing to possess property in the most thriving part of the City. The great improvements daily going on sufficiently prove the value of Building Ground in this neighbourhood.*

Terms at sale. 5354

TUESDAY, 14TH OCTOBER.

CANDLES.

For the Benefit of whom it may Concern; Ex "Hindoo," from Liverpool.

DAMAGED BY SEA WATER.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at his Mart, George-street and Charlotte-place,

ON TUESDAY NEXT, 14TH INSTANT,
At eleven o'clock,

R in diamond—
1 Case containing 30 boxes Adamantine candles
1 Ditto ditto 30 ditto, Imperial Wax ditto
1 Ditto ditto 30 ditto Imperials
1 Ditto ditto 30 ditto Composites.

Terms at sale. 5352

FRIDAY, 10TH OCTOBER,

DAMAGED SUGAR, IN CASES AND BARRELS.

Ex "Eliza Kincaid."

FOR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at Campbell's Wharf,

THIS DAY, 10TH OCTOBER,
At half-past ten o'clock,

266 Cases, and } Damaged Sugar
100 Barrels }

In lots to suit purchasers.

Terms, cash. 5217

TUESDAY, 14TH OCTOBER.

To Grocers, Dealers, and Others.

RAISINS, PRUNES, ALMONDS, AND FRENCH PLUMS.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at his Mart, corner of George-street and Charlotte place, on

TUESDAY NEXT, 14TH INSTANT,
At 11 o'clock,

60 boxes *cluster* raisins
21 barrels *sun* ditto
6 cases prunes
5 ditto, containing half-cartoons imperial French plums
30 barrels *Malaga* raisins
1 cask Valencia almonds.

Terms at sale. 5351

TUESDAY, 14TH OCTOBER.

ALLSOPP'S ALE, IN HOGSHEADS AND BARRELS.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at his Mart, corner of George-street and Charlotte-place,

ON TUESDAY, 14TH OCTOBER,
At Eleven o'clock,

25 Hogsheads Allsop's ale
25 Barrels ditto ditto

In lots to suit purchasers.

Terms at sale. 5350

WEDNESDAY, 15TH OCTOBER.

TO PUBLICANS AND OTHERS.

THE LICENSE.

Stock-in-Trade, Fixtures, Beer Engine, Spirit Fountain, Household Furniture, &c., &c.

ON THE PREMISES,

"SAILOR'S RETURN,"

Corner of Brougham-place and Pitt-street.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, on the premises known as the SAILOR'S RETURN,

ON WEDNESDAY, 15TH OCTOBER,
At eleven o'clock,

The License of the above well-established house, together with the Stock-in-trade, fixtures, beer engine, spirit fountain, household furniture, &c., &c.

Terms at sale. 5355

THURSDAY, 6TH NOVEMBER.

VALUABLE BUILDING ALLOTMENTS AT WOOLLOOMOOLOO.

Part of the late Sir James Dowling's Suburban Grant.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS has received instructions to sell by public auction, at his Mart, corner of George-street and Charlotte-place, on

THURSDAY, 6TH NOVEMBER,
At 11 o'clock.

The following most valuable Building Allotments, situated at WOOLLOOMOOLOO, and being part of the Suburban Grant to the late Chief Justice

SIR JAMES DOWLING.

BLOCK A.

Ten Allotments, having frontages as follows:—

LOT 1.—One hundred and thirty-two feet to Woolloomooloo Road, and one hundred and forty-five feet two inches to Victoria-street
Lots 2, 3, and 4.—Each thirty-three feet to Woolloomooloo Road, and thirty-seven feet six inches to Victoria-street.
Lots 5, 6, and 7.—Each thirty-three feet to Woolloomooloo Road
Lot 8.—Sixty-two feet eight inches to Wolloomoolo o Road
Lots 9 and 10.—Each thirty-seven feet to Victoria-street.

BLOCK B.

Eleven Allotments, having frontages as follow:—

LOT 1.—Thirty-four feet six inches to William-street, and ninety-two feet to Victoria-street
Lots 2, 3, and 4.—Each thirty-four feet six inches to William street, and thirty-four feet six inches to a reserved road.
Lot 5—Thirty-four feet six inches to William-street, and ninety-two feet to Brougham-street
Lots 6, 7, and 8.—Each thirty-three feet to Brougham-street, and thirty-three feet to a back road.
Lots 9, 10, and 11—Each thirty-three feet to Victoria-street, and thirty three feet to a back road.

BLOCK C.

Twenty-two allotments, having frontages as follows:

Lot 1—Thirty-one feet to William-street, and thirty two feet to Brougham-street.
Lots 2 and 3—Each thirty-one feet to William street, and thirty feet eight inches to a reserved road
Lot 4—Thirty-one feet to William-street, and ninety-two feet to Duke-street.
Lots 5 to 11 inclusive—Each thirty-three feet to Brougham-street, and thirty-three feet to Duke-street
Lot 12—Seventy-seven feet to Brougham-street, and seventy-one feet to Duke-street
On this Allotment there is a Stone Building, containing four-stalled stable, and coach-house for two carriages, with hay loft and servant's room above. This building can easily be converted into a dwelling house.
Lot 13—Thirty-one feet eight inches to Dowling-street, and thirty-eight feet to Duke-street
Lots 14 to 21 inclusive—Each thirty-three feet to Dowling-street, and thirty-three feet to Duke-street
Lot 22—Forty-two feet two inches to Dowling street, and seventy-five feet two inches to Duke-street

BLOCK D.

Eight Allotments, having frontages as follows:

Lots 1 to 7 inclusive—Each thirty-five feet six inches to Dowling street, and thirty-five feet six inches to Judge street
Lot 8—Thirty nine feet to Dowling-street, and thirty-two feet four inches to Judge-street.

Among the many valuable estates which Mr. Lyons has from time to time brought forward, he has never been entrusted with the disposal of a choicer piece of building ground than is now offered in these suburban allotments. Lying at the corner of William-street, *which forms the continuation of Park-street across the Racecourse*, and the Wooloomooloo high road, their vicinity to the city is obvious, while for healthiness the situation cannot be surpassed.

In fact, these allotments form in every way desirable sites for buildings, the beauty of the scenery, and the proximity of Woolloomooloo to the waters of the harbour, having long since caused it to be chosen as a favourite place of residence, which is evident from the fact of it being ornamented by so many beautiful mansions, viz., thereof:—

The Lord Bishop of Australia
Alexander M'Leay, Esq., M. C.
G. R. Griffiths, Esq.
—. Carr, Esq.
F. Parbury, Esq.
R. Campbell, Esq., &c., &c.

Terms at sale.

☞ A plan is on view at the Mart, where lithographic plans may also be had.

TITLE—A GRANT FROM THE CROWN. 4541

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13,

A POSITIVE SALE WITHOUT THE LEAST RESERVE.

In the Insolvent Estate of J. H. Gro[...]

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

Valuable Landed Properties in the Counties of Argyle, Durham, and Cumberland

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at his Mart, George-street and Charlotte-place,

ON MONDAY, 13TH OCTOBER,
At Twelve o'clock,

The following valuable landed properties in the

COUNTIES OF ARGYLE, DURHAM, AND CUMBERLAND,

2000 Acres, in the county of Argyle, near Mullingallingong, being the Estate of COOENBURGH, a grant from the Crown, and described in the deed as follows:—"All that piece or parcel of land, containing by admeasurement, two thousand acres, be the same more or less, situated in the county of Argyle, and parish of ———, near Mullingallingong, and bounded on the west side by lines bearing north ninety chains, west eighty-five chains, and north eighty chains, commencing at Birnie's south-east corner, on the north by a line east one hundred and sixty-five chains, and on the east by a line south one hundred and fifty-three chains to Jacqua Creek, and on the south by that creek.

The road from Queanbeyan to Bungendore passes through this estate.

There is a cottage, barn, &c., on this estate, and about 60 acres are cleared, and a large portion fenced.

560 Acres adjoining the above 2000 acres, being a Grant from the Crown, and bounded on the north by Yarralaw Creek.

10 Acres in the county of Durham, at Clarence Town, a Grant from the Crown, and described in the Deed as follows:—"All that piece or parcel of land, containing by admeasurement ten acres, be the same more or less, situated in the county of Durham, and parish of Uffington, at Clarence Town, commencing at the north-east corner of Francis Allman's six hundred and forty acres, and bounded on the south by that farm, being a line west twelve chains and seventy links, on the west by a line north eleven chains and seventy links, on the north by a line south fifty-eight degrees and thirty minutes east thirteen chains and fifty links to the William River, and on the east by that river to the north-east corner of Allman's land as aforesaid."

THE REMAINING ALLOTMENTS OF

BISHOPGATE,

On the Parramatta and Glebe Roads, adjoining the city of Sydney.

SECTION 1.

Lots 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, and 23, with frontages to the Glebe and Parramatta Roads.

SECTION 2.

Lots 2, 5, 6, 9, 10, and 11, with frontages to Grose-street.
Lots 3, 4, 7, and 8, with frontages to Francis-street.

The plans of the above properties may be inspected at the Mart of the Auctioneer.

Terms at sale.

EIGHTY FIVE HEAD OF CATTLE FOR SALE.

IN LOTS FROM ONE TO FOUR, TO SUIT PURCHASERS.

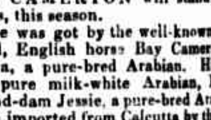
MR. JAMES BYRNES will sell by public auction, at the Market Place, Parramatta,

ON SATURDAY, 11TH OCTOBER,
At 12 o'clock,

A Mixed Herd, consisting of—
Milch cows, broken in to bail, some with calves by their sides, others near calving
Heifers from one to two years old
Steers and young Bullocks, some suitable for the butcher, others eligible to break in to draught.

TERMS OF SALE—

Under £10 cash, on the fall of the hammer; £10 and upwards, an approved bill at three months.



GREY CAMERTON.

THE thorough-bred Horse GREY CAMERTON will stand at Douro, Yass, this season.

He was got by the well-known, thorough-bred, English horse Bay Camerton, out of Flora, a pure-bred Arabian. His grandsire the pure milk-white Arabian, Model; his grand-dam Jessie, a pure-bred Arabian mare, both imported from Calcutta by the late Wm. Browne, Esquire. Grey Camerton was bred by Mr. H. O'Brien, the present owner.

Terms—Two pounds ten shillings for single mares; two pounds each for two or more, groomage included in both cases.

Good paddocks for mares sent, but without responsibility. Care and attention will of course be paid to them. No charge will be made for the paddocks for one month from the date of arrival of mares,—one shilling per week will afterwards be charged. Payment to be made before removal of mares.

Application to be made to Mr. George Mair, superintendent at Douro.

THOROUGH-BRED HORSES, AT COOMBING.

"GIL BLAS," own brother to *Grenada by Muley*, dam *Bequest by Election*, at Four Guineas.

"SIR HERCULES," by *Cap-a-pie*, dam *Paraguay by Sir Hercules*, at Six Guineas, groomage included.

(Vide Stud Book for further particulars of pedigree.)

There are secure paddocks at Coombing for mares, but the proprietor will not be responsible for losses or other casualties should any occur.

TO STAND THIS SEASON,

AT Duntroon, near Queanbeyan, for the last time, the imported English Coaching Stallion

"ALI PASHA."

Terms—£2 each Mare; three or more, the property of one person, £1 10s.; groomage 2s. 6d.

September 18.

THE fine Arab horse, Nazeer Farib, *alias* Speaker, arrived in this colony in the *Emerald Isle*, in which vessel Captain Innes was passenger, and having served the stock of his owners for five years, is now for sale or exchange, for one of a similar description.

Nazeer Farib took the best prizes at Calcutta, Agra, and other places in India, in 1837 and 1838; vide the Sporting Journal of that date, and was from his well-known excellence chosen by Judge Berry, of the Honorable East India Company's Service, as a suitable horse to improve the stock of the colony.

May be seen at Veterinary Surgeon Armstrong's Stables from 10 till 12, and at other time at Major Smyth's, Surry Hills.

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